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Big Eagle Camp Being Readied for Reopening

## Dr. Jospe to Address B'nai B'rith Women

Dr. Alfred Jospe, director of Hillel Foundation at Indiana University, will address the Indianapolis B'nai B'rith Women at a meeting at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday at the B'nai B'rith headquarters, 38th and College Ave. His subject will be "The Woman's Work of B'nai B'rith."

A pitch-in luncheon will be held preceding the talk, and a program prepared by Mrs. Lewis Levy will be presented. Those who have not been called concerning the luncheon may call Mrs. Harold Lewis, chairman, HU. 1995, or Mrs. Mitchell Michaelson, co-chairman, TA. 1367.

## Mrs. Jennie Greenberg Dies in Florida

Mrs. Jennie Greenberg, 67, 134 W. 43rd St., died Wednesday, Feb. 28 in Miami, Fla., where she had been visiting since December. She was the widow of Abraham Greenberg, who died in 1939.

Mrs. Greenberg, who had lived in Indianapolis 35 years, was a member of the Joseph and Anna Borinstein Home for the Aged, Central Hebrew Congregation and Hadassah. Funeral services were held Sunday, March 4, at the Aaron-Ruben Funeral Home, with Rabbi Nandor Fruchter officiating. Burial was in Share Tefilla cemetery.

Survivors are two sons, Isadore Greenberg of Indianapolis and Henry Greenberg of Boston, Mass.; three daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Kline, Mrs. Abe Bartick and Mrs. Norton A. Fishbein, all of Indianapolis; three brothers, Ralph Shuman, Jack Shuman and Morris Shuman, all of Boston, Mass., and six sisters, Miss Della Shuman, Mrs. Harry Friedman and Mrs. William Winter, all of Bridgeport, Conn.; Mrs. Gertrude Freeman of Brockton, Mass.; Mrs. Louis Levine of Brookline, Mass., and Mrs. Morris Greenbaum of Fitchburg, Mass.

## Rabbi Chodos Tendered New 10-Year Contract

Rabbi Israel Chodos, whose five-year contract made in 1943 has three years to run, was tendered a ten-year contract by the Board of the Beth El-Zedeck Temple at its meeting Monday night. The contract, to begin immediately, was approved by a rising vote, and indicated, it is said, a vote of confidence in Rabbi Chodos' program and work.

Rabbi Chodos came to Beth El in the Fall of 1942, succeeding Rabbi Elias Charry.

## To Leave JCCA



ALLEN BLOOM

The resignation of Allan Bloom, executive director of the Jewish Community Center Association, was accepted at a meeting of the board last week.

## Workmen's Circle Plans Chicken Supper Mar. 18

A chicken supper will be sponsored by the Workmen's Circle at 6:30 p. m. Sunday, March 18, at the club headquarters, 1218 S. Meridian St. A card party will follow the supper.

A tea and card party will be held at the club headquarters at 8 p. m. each Wednesday during March, with all proceeds to be given to the Red Cross.

## Kokomo Federation to Hold Dinner Wednesday

**SPECIAL** KOKOMO—The annual dinner of the Kokomo Federation will be held Wednesday evening at B'nai Israel Temple. Rabbi Israel Chodos of Indianapolis will be the guest speaker.

Jacob Flox of Peru will act as master of ceremonies, and arrangement will be made by I. B. Andich and Herman Mervis.

## Fox to Speak at Chicago Meeting

Rabbi Samuel J. Fox, of the United Hebrew Congregation, will be the principal English speaker at a city-wide mass-meeting and prayer assembly Wednesday evening, at Beth Hamedrash Anshei Dorom synagogue in Chicago. The Yiddish speaker for the occasion will be Rabbi Chaim Korb, head of the Hebrew Theological College. The event will be an occasion for penitence and prayer on behalf of our brethren overseas and the men in the armed forces. Rabbi Elazar R. Muskin will preside.

## Early Registration Urged for Big Eagle

Lewis Lurie, Chairman of the Big Eagle Camp Committee, this week urged early registration for the summer season of camping at Big Eagle Camp near Zionsville. Mr. Lurie pointed out that the camp would not in all probability be able to accept all the youngsters who would like to attend. The capacity is limited to 75 children, 9 to 14 years of age.

The camp fee will be \$15.00 per week, and campers may register for one or more of the two week camp periods which start July 1.

Registration may be made by calling Leon P. Beck, camp director, (WA. 2401) or Mrs. Robert Greenberg, Chairman of Registration (TA. 2786).

## National Board Member To Address Council

**SPECIAL** TERRE HAUTE—Mrs. William H. Sahud, president of the Chicago Section of the National Council of Jewish Women, and a member of the National Board of Directors, will speak to the Terre Haute Section of the National Council of Jewish Women on the work the Council is doing in its rehabilitation program, both in its overseas projects and National Port and Dock Work. The meeting will be held at 2 p. m. Wednesday in the vestry rooms of Temple Israel.

The Council Board meeting will be held at 1 p. m. Wednesday, Mar. 14, preceding the regular meeting. A social hour will follow.

## Mrs. Sarah Feldman, 53, Resident 35 Years, Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Feldman, 53, 707 N. Alabama St., who died Thursday, March 1, at her home, were held Friday in Cincinnati. Burial was in Schachner congregation cemetery.

Mrs. Feldman was a member of Ezras Achim congregation, the Workmen's Circle and the Ladies Auxiliary of the Central Hebrew Congregation. She had lived in Indianapolis 35 years.

Surviving are her husband, Louis Feldman; a son, Capt. Harry Feldman, stationed at New York; a daughter, Miss Jennie Feldman of Indianapolis; four sisters, Mrs. Ray Richards, Mrs. Kate Feldman, both of Cincinnati, O.; Mrs. Lena Beller and Mrs. Yetta Schuster, both of Chicago, Ill., and three brothers, Nathan Green and Louis Green, both of Chicago, Ill., and Abe Green of Los Angeles, Cal.

## Donor Luncheon Workers to Meet Tuesday to Further Plans

### TOWN CRIER By G. M. COHEN

Lillian Schwartz, field representative of the National Youth Commission of the Zionist Organization of America, was in Indianapolis Wednesday and Thursday conferring with local Zionist leaders.

There hasn't been any publicity on it yet, but so far as I know the appearance here of Rabbi Elmer W. Berger, director of the American Council for Judaism, before the Brotherhood of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, is still scheduled. Despite reports you may have read elsewhere, the Brotherhood is not sponsoring Mr. Berger's as an anti-Zionist, nor it is interested in furthering the movement of the American Council for Judaism, although that may have been the motivation behind some of the men in the organization. In actuality the program committee sought to have a debate or symposium in which Rabbi Berger and a Zionist speaker of equal ability would each present their case. A Zionist speaker may still address the Brotherhood later on, I understand, but a debate was ruled out by the Zionist policy that Zionism, like democracy, is no longer a debatable subject.

The man behind the Palestine Resolution passed by the Indiana Legislature is M. A. Rabb, father of Mrs. Shoolam Ettinger, national board member of Hadassah, and father-in-law of Mr. Ettinger, president of the local Zionist District. He it was who did all the work getting the bill into shape, arranging with the party leaders for its passage and so forth. In the Senate there were no "nay" votes, and in the House there were only three. Edward N. Woodard, of Bloomington, and Nellie B. Downey, of Indianapolis, both State representatives, introduced the bill jointly. Because the measure was introduced too late for it to have three readings and still pass this session, it was necessary to get special order of business which requires a two-thirds majority, but as you can see there was no difficulty about that.

## Joan Jackson Installed As SDT President

**SPECIAL** BLOOMINGTON—Miss Sylvia Cawn, retiring president of Sigma Delta Tau Sorority at Indiana University, turned over her gavel to Miss Joan Jackson of Indianapolis at the formal installation banquet in the chapter house Wednesday evening. Other officers who were installed are Ruth Rosinsky of Omaha, Neb., vice president; Natalie Isaacson, Lewiston, Me., secretary; Dorothy Chaikin, Gary, treasurer and Betty Jo Sherman, Evansville, and June Gole; Michigan City, rush chairmen.

Recent guests of the chapter were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gole of Michigan City, Mrs. Janice Phillips of Evansville, the Misses Toby Roth of Newcastle, and Rita Grossman and Martha Jacobs of Louisville.

A meeting of workers for the Hadassah Donor Luncheon, to be held Wednesday, March 21, will be held at 1 p. m. Tuesday, March 13 at the home of Mrs. Marshall Sherman, 5541 Kenwood Ave. All workers are asked to attend.

Mrs. Phil Falender is chairman of captains of the teams of workers. The captains are Dr. Evelyn Berger, and the Mesdames Sidney Bornstein, Joseph Celender, Simon Solotkin, Hermann Chalfie, Miriam Forman, Samuel Fox, Myro Glass, Aaron Glick, H. F. Grande, David Granowsky, David Hollander, Michael Kline, Reuben Riskin, Henry Salam, David Shapiro, Marshall Sherman, Max Sussman, Aaron Unger, Abe Unger, and Sam Wolf.

Team personnel includes the Mesdames Ben Borinstein, Ben Grant, S. Satinsky, George Wolf, Harry Alpert, Jack Maurer, Sol Oppenheim, Stanley Rammelsburg, J. Sandground, Leo Selig, Nathan Resnick, Ben Shalansky, Sidney Shane, Bernard Stroyman, Abe Goldsmith, Ralph Kahn, Leo Klausner, Abe Kulwin, Harry Vinstein, Oscar Alpert, David Dobrowitz, Ben Prince, David Shane, Leo Talesnick, Harry Zukerberg, Morris Leff, Thomas Segal, Bert Sicanoff, Sam Weinberger, Julius Bryan, Wolford Bryan, Louis Goldstein, Joe Miller, Robert Curl, Robert Greenberg, Ben Rader, Max Refkin, Joseph Albert, Abe Borin, Manuel Leve, Harry Schuchman, Sanford Breslaw, I. E. Rice, Sam Dieter, Alice Max, Marcus Cohen, Theodore Dann, Sam Goldberg and Lou Leventhal.

Reservations must be in by March 18 and may be made by calling Mrs. Meyer Gallin, TA. 0854.

## Council Board to Hear Report From National

The National Council of Jewish Women will hold an open board meeting at 1 p. m. Thursday, March 15, at the 38th St. branch of the Merchants National Bank.

Mrs. William H. Sahud, president of the Chicago section of National Council of Jewish Women and a member of the national board, will bring a report from the national board on its part in the peace and rehabilitation of Europe after the war.

Open discussion will take place with committee chairmen about their work. There will be no admission after 2 p. m.

## Scrap Dealers Cited

The Scrap Iron and Steel Institute of Indiana, a branch of the national organization, received a Distinguished Service Citation from the U. S. government in a recent convention in Cincinnati. Although there were no individual citations each member received a copy of the award.

A resolution supporting the Biltmore Declaration which demands the establishment of Palestine as a Jewish State was adopted at the first conference of General Zionists held since the liberation of Rumania.

## SARA'S COLUMN

By SARA MESSING STERN

SO MANY PEOPLE coming from Florida, mentioned Sarah Weinstock who, with her husband and son, own a jewelry store in Miami Beach. The name didn't register with me until someone said, "Why, you know her. She used to be Sarah Krauss of Indianapolis!" Then it dawned on me that Abe Krauss and Sarah lived near us when we were on East Street. Their father, Eli Krauss, owned a shoe store in the 400 block of Massachusetts Ave. There were two sisters too, Evelyn and Rose, and another brother, Martin. I learned that Abe died last fall.

MISS GOLDIE NAHMIA, 19, daughter of Albert D. Nahmias, 1025 S. Illinois St., is a Junior here at St. Vincent's Hospital and expects to get her nurses' diploma in 1946. Miss Mumford told me about her. Later Goldie called on me. I found out she and her folks came from Spain. She was only 3 when she was brought over. And she always wanted to be a nurse. When she graduated from Manual Training High School she accepted the scholarship in nursing from the Women of Moose. She loves children and hopes to study further and get a degree in Pediatrics. She has big dark brown eyes, soft dark hair, a friendly smile and lovely teeth. And oh, her skin. Some lucky man will win her before many years, I feel sure!

DID YOU LISTEN IN Sunday evening at 11 to "The Eternal Light?" You missed a treat. WIRE presented the life of Sholem Aleichem. These Sunday evening programs over WIRE are always well worth listening to.

THE FIRST OF A SERIES of Temple evening dinners given recently by fourteen women to add to congregational sociability was a success. The women who contributed and served the dinner were: Mrs. Mark Cohen, chairman; and Mrs. Henry Silver, co-chairman; and Mrs. Lewis Lurie, Mrs. L. Jaeger, Mrs. Morris Feuerlicht, Mrs. Theodore Dann, Mrs. Samuel Kroot, Mrs. Allison Falender, Mrs. Sidney James, Mrs. Mark Frank, Mrs. Reuben Solomon, Mrs. Maurice Goldblatt, Mrs. Richard Efrogymson and Mrs. Nat Smith. The second, to be given by the Temple Sisterhood, will be shortly after Passover. After the dinner, a movie was shown. The vestry rooms were well filled and everyone seemed satisfied that further dinners would meet with even better results.

MR. AND MRS. SAM COHEN and sons, Larry and Stanley, and Mrs. Cohen's mother, are now located permanently in Los Angeles. Mr. Cohen was a city fireman for more than twenty years. He has given blood to the bank twenty-five times. But the affection I have for them is the fact that their home, their well prepared meals, their beds, their money—all were shared with hosts of new-comers. Their home and their sympathy always gave comfort to those strangers who came to our shores. No one ever left the Cohen home empty-handed. They will be missed, but they will long be remembered.

I NEVER REALIZED I was treading on toes when in mentioning some of the names of the Ladies Benevolent Society in its early years, I added "and heaps of others." I have had the following names given me by various folks. I never realized how many children and grandchildren, even great grandchildren, there are of those who gave personal service, gratis, with their gifts years ago. Among those women were Mrs. Nathan Rheinheimer, Mrs. Henry Rosenthal, Mrs. Dave Newman, Mrs. Sol Mossler, Mrs. L. I. Mossler, Mrs. A. Hays, "Aunt Sallie" Solomon, Mrs. Adolph Kahn, Mrs. K. Munter, Mrs. L. Segar, Mrs. Isaac Kahn, Mrs. Jacob Mitchell. I'll be glad to name any other whose names are sent me.

FRIENDS OF "MATTIE" (MARTHA) MITCHELL of Cincinnati, formerly of Indianapolis, will be glad that she is entirely better after her long illness. She is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mitchell. There were three daughters, Blanche Mitchell, Sally Mitchell Glazer and Mattie and two sons, Alfred and Lester.

THE FEBRUARY "INDIANA CLUB WOMAN" contains praise by the president, Mrs. W. H. Lykins, for Mrs. Louis Markun, War Bond chairman, through whose efforts the campaign for bonds, enough to pay for the PB4Y Liberator Patrol Bomber for the U. S. Navy, was successful by Jan. 5, one month earlier than the announced closing date.

BERT JAFFE, optician, who started his first office forty years ago in the old Denison Hotel Building, decided to divide the firm into thirds. Harold Jaffe is owner of the Pennsylvania Street office, which he has headed for the past twenty or more years; Milton and Lewis, of the Illinois Street office. The latter place will be entirely modernized. No optician in the city has enjoyed and so well merited the patronage of such a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, and his three sons follow in his footsteps. But don't think that because he has, since the first of the year, turned the business over to his sons. He will not be "on deck." The work is dear to him and his friends like to see him there! So continued success, Mr. Jaffe, to you and your sons. You deserve it.

CABLEGRAMS TO ENGLAND have been sent by friends here to Samuel Mantel, congratulating him on his recent new rank! It is Colonel Samuel Mantel now! Pvt. David Kahn, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Carroll Kahn, who is in England, was entertained by Col. Mantel in England, even sharing his quarters for an overnight visit. Col. Mantel reports that David looks fine and is enjoying his sightseeing trips around London and its environs.

## Sisterhood to See Baking Demonstration

Featuring the meeting of the Beth El Sisterhood at 2 p. m. Monday, March 21, will be a demonstration by Mrs. David Hollander, who is well known throughout the city for her culinary achievements, of the baking of her famous "Flaky Cheese Cake." Mrs. Leo Shane will assist Mrs. Hollander. Recipes for the cake, as well as samples, will be distributed to the guests.

Mrs. Aaron Glick will give the opening prayer. Mrs. Abraham Max has planned a Pesach table, with the many ceremonial objects for the holiday table, and will give a talk on the significance of each object. A trained attendant will care for young children accompanying their mothers.

## USO Schedules Games, Recordings for Week End

Saturday night at the USO-JWB Club will be "Games Night." New table games will be demonstrated and Cadettes and Servicemen will try their skill at these fascinating games. Esther Forman is chairman of the games committee.

Free voice recordings will be available to members of the armed forces at the Club Sunday afternoon, and also on Sunday afternoon, March 18, through the courtesy of Morris Epstein, who will bring his own equipment. Passover recording discs have been provided by the National Jewish Welfare Board and the greetings will be mailed home free of charge.

## Jewish Chaplain Ordered Overseas

Chaplain Nathan Barack, who has been stationed at Billings General Hospital since Sept. 1, has received orders for overseas duty and left Billings Hospital last Saturday.

The USO-JWB Affairs Committee, of which Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt is chairman, will again assume responsibility for religious services at Fort Harrison and the Disciplinary Barracks and regular visits to Jewish hospital patients.

**GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 4, 1945**  
An Ordinance establishing a certain passenger and/or loading zone in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of Section 25 of General Ordinance No. 96-1928, as amended; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana:

Section 1. That for the purpose of providing the owner or occupant of a certain premises in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, with ingress and egress for passengers, materials and merchandise coming to or going from such premises, (the owner or occupant having complied with the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96-1928, as amended, and the Board of Public Safety having caused investigation thereof to be made and having recommended its establishment, pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid Ordinance, as amended), the following passenger and/or loading zone be and the same is hereby established in the City of Indianapolis, to-wit:

"25 foot loading zone" on the West side of McCrea Street, beginning at a point 81 feet south of the south curb line of Georgia Street and extending south a distance of 25 feet."

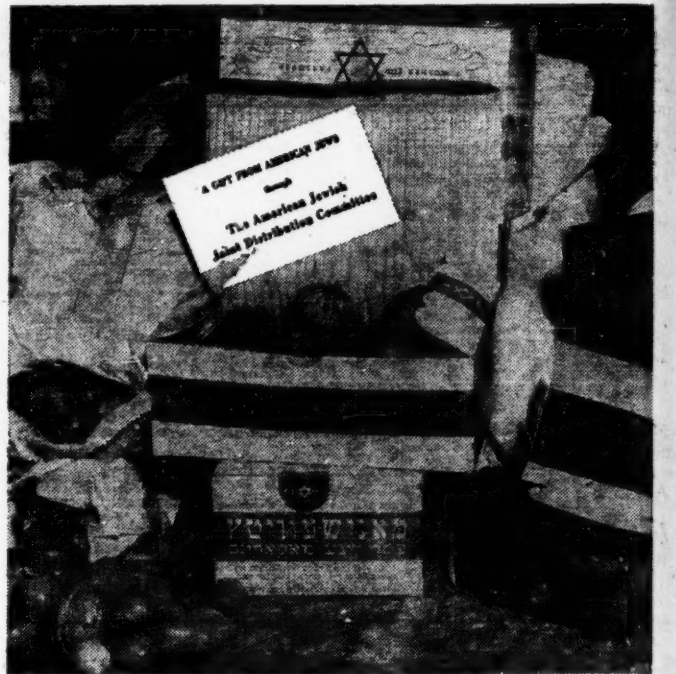
Section 2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

State of Indiana, Marion County, City of Indianapolis, ss:  
I, Frank J. Noll, Jr., Clerk of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, do hereby certify the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of General Ordinance No. 4, 1945; that said ordinance was passed by the Common Council on the 19 day of February, 1945 and was signed and approved by the Mayor on the 21 day of February, 1945 and now remains on file and on record in my office.

Witness my hand and the official seal of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, this day of February, 1945.  
FRANK J. NOLL, Jr.,  
City Clerk

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## J.D.C. Sends Special Passover Packages



American Jews through the Joint Distribution Committee are sending 25,000 packages of special Passover foods to the Jews of Italy. These packages are in addition to the matzoth and matzoh flour which have been provided for Italy, France, Belgium, Holland, Portugal, Switzerland, and for refugees in the Soviet Union, Latin America and the British West Indies, for which J.D.C. has appropriated the necessary funds.

## \$33.07 Tops JNF Box Collection from Indiana

**Special**  
NEW YORK—Indiana Jewish National Fund box-holders whose boxes yielded more than \$10.00 in the collections in their communities in the past two months are: Mrs. S. Brown, South Bend, \$33.07; Mrs. M. Zimman, South Bend, \$27.94; H. Sabel, Evansville, \$14.28; M. Gold, Evansville, \$12.31; Louis Segal, Lafayette, \$11.87; Mrs. Irving Moore, South Bend, \$11.70; Mrs. A. L. Borr, South Bend, \$10.80; Mrs. S. Sandock, South Bend, \$10.11; Mrs. M. Fischer, South Bend and J. Katz, Evansville, \$10.00.

## Goodman, Latz To Aid JDC Drive

**Special**  
NEW YORK—L. L. Goodman, of Indianapolis, was elected co-chairman of the 1945 campaign of the Joint Distribution Committee and G. Irving Latz, of Fort Wayne was named to the executive committee for the drive at a meeting here Sunday. Rabbi Jonah B. Wise national chairman, announced the goal at \$46,570,000.

## LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 225-A, 24.  
In the application of Railway Express Motor Express Transport, Inc., 259 S. Meridian St., Indianapolis, Indiana, for a certificate of authority to operate motor vehicles as a common carrier of property, intrastate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind., 9:00 A. M., Monday, April 16, 1945. Public participation is requested.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF INDIANA**  
By James D. Collins, Director  
Motor Vehicle Department  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 5, 1945.

## LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2805-A, 1.  
In the application of William Holt, d/b/a Holt Brothers, Chaplin, Ky. For a certificate of authority to operate motor vehicles as a common carrier of persons, interstate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.

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## Temple Sisterhood To Meet Monday

A meeting of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation Sisterhood will be held at 2 p. m. Monday at the temple. Mrs. J. H. Sandground has arranged the program.

Mrs. Albert Dannin will give the opening prayer and Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt will discuss current events. Others taking part in the program and social hour will be the Mesdames Ralph Cole, Theodore Dann, Lewis Lurie, Paul Mode, L. Lapinska, Mose Aaron, Harold I. Platt and Louis Markum.

## Rabbi Chodos to Address Hebrew Circle Tuesday

Rabbi Israel Chodos of Temple Beth El will address the Hebrew Circle at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stillerman, 1005 Union Street. All who understand Hebrew are invited.



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## Ezekiel, Economist, To Address Forum March 18

Dr. Mordecai Ezekiel, economist, author, educator and lecturer will speak at the Indianapolis Open Forum at 8:15 p. m. Sunday, March 18 at Kirshbaum Center. His subject will be "What You Earn and What You Pay," with emphasis on the relationship of earnings to the cost of commodities.

Dr. Ezekiel is economic advisor to Secretary of Agriculture Wickard. His publications include "Jobs for All," a plan through which full production and full employment could be achieved.

Dr. M. O. Ross, president of Butler University, will introduce the speaker.

## George Frank Named To National Body

**SPECIAL**  
NEW YORK—Appointment of George Frank, well known furniture executive and community leader in Indianapolis, as a member of the National Finance Council of the National Jewish Welfare Board (JWB) for the Indiana area was announced here by Frank L. Well, president of the Board.

The National Finance Council serves as the budgeting and allocating body of the National Jewish Welfare Board and at its annual meetings determines the distribution of funds within the broad JWB network of community services.

## Soldiers Served Dinner

Supper was served at the USO-JWB Club Sunday night by a committee of which Mrs. Leo Klausner was chairman. Those assisting included the Mesdames David Farb, Thomas Gould, Abe Epstein, Louis Sentir, Sol Sentir, Morris Pozner, Ben Rader, Jack Kostick and George Karabell. Others who contributed financially included the Mesdames Max Klezmer, Fred Haase, George Samson, Harry Zuckerberg, Phillip Sentir, Al Burman, Sam Neubauer, Abe Meyer, Phillip Fox, Paul Steinmetz, I. Binzer, Louis Goldstein, Morris Olshan, A. J. Wild, Harry Marcus, David Silverman, Abe Black, Al Shallat, Sam Yankuner, Abe Shapiro and Miss Rose Vigodner.

## Leon Janney Scheduled For "Palestine Speaks"

Leon Janney, stage and screen star, will be heard on the broadcast "Palestine Speaks" at 11:30 a. m. Sunday over WIBC. He will portray Isaac Mendelsohn, a Palestinian aviation hero.

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2799-A, 1.  
Application of Thomas J. Wherley, d/b/a Thomas J. Wherley Transfer Co., Duluth, Minnesota, for a certificate of authority to operate motor vehicles, as a common carrier of property, interstate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.  
Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind., 9:00 A. M., Tuesday, April 10, 1945.  
Public participation is requested.  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF INDIANA**  
By James D. Collins, Director  
Motor Vehicle Department  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 1, 1945

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2796-A, 1.  
Application of Lucille F. Jennings, Executrix of the Estate of H. P. Jennings, Zanesville, Ohio, for a certificate of authority to operate motor vehicles, as a common carrier of property, interstate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.  
Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind., 9:00 A. M., Monday, April 9, 1945.  
Public participation is requested.  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF INDIANA**  
By James D. Collins, Director  
Motor Vehicle Department  
Indianapolis, Ind., February 28, 1945

## 'Round the State

News Bits from Here and There

### ROSENBLUM STAGES "REUNION IN HOPKINSVILLE"

"Reunion in Hopkinstville" were the re-echoed goodbyes more than a year ago when Capt. P. J. Rosenbloom and several of his "buddies" were transferred from Camp Campbell, Ky., to various places preparatory for overseas duty. In December, Capt. Rosenbloom was returned to the U. S. from an eight-month service in New Guinea as a casualty. In January he was operated on at Gardiner General Hospital and two weeks ago he was transferred to Fort Sheridan, Ill., where he will continue to receive treatment while serving in the surgical department as urologist. With just a week-end to spare, Capt. Rosenbloom and his wife decided to make a hurried trip to Hopkinstville. "Practically all the Jewish population were at the station to meet us," Capt. Rosenbloom said. Receptions were held at the homes of the Misses Sara and Frances Meyers and Jack Sabel. Capt. Rosenbloom has been honored since his return home in various ways. On the Feb. 25th broadcast of the "Message of Israel" several Gary people heard a tribute paid to him for his outstanding work along the religious line with the soldiers in the South Pacific. Another "thank you" for services rendered as their family physician before entry into the army was given Capt. Rosenbloom when Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Pass and their children, Benjamin and Jeanette, dedicated a room in his honor at the new Hadassah Tuberculosis Sanitarium in Palestine.

### CPL. BROIDE BROADCASTS FROM FRANCE

If Mrs. Macy Broide, the former Gloria Goldsholl of Gary, had been listening to the Army Hour Feb. 4 as she usually does, she would have had the pleasure of hearing her husband's voice. Cpl. Broide spoke from the Colmar sector in France, where he is war correspondent with the 1st army. He spoke on the progress of the war and the relationships with the French in that particular sector. Mrs. Broide is a sophomore student at the University of Indiana. The corporal was stationed with the army at Bloomington when they met. They were married in December, 1943.

### STROUSE FIRM DESTROYED BY FIRE

Strouse Bros., a well known haberdashery firm of Evansville, suffered a destructive fire which completely demolished the building at midnight last Saturday. The business was founded by Benjamin Strouse and has been carried on by his three sons, Mose, Bernard, and the late Isaac Strouse.

### LEVITON'S TABLE TENNIS CHAMPS

Richard Leviton holder of the National Boy's table tennis championship reached the finals in the boys division, in the Western Open Table Tennis tournament held in Chicago. Leslie Leviton, Indiana Junior champion, reached the semifinals of the Junior division.

### Freedom of the Press

### Thanks Friends Who Made Stay Pleasant

To the editor,

This is to tell you how much we enjoyed reading The Post while we lived here.

We would like to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our friends who have made the past three and a half years so pleasant.

A business venture necessitates our return to New York but we shall cherish the friendships made here and will always look forward to an occasional

trip to Indianapolis.

MR. AND MRS. BEN COHEN  
AND FAMILY  
4015 Blvd. Pl.  
Indianapolis

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2792-A, 1.  
Joint application of D. P. Daum, d/b/a Daum Over-Nite Express, Indianapolis, Indiana, seller and Daum Over-Nite Express, Inc., Indianapolis, Indiana, purchaser, for the approval of the sale and transfer of certificate No. 30-A, 3, interstate.  
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MARION—Mrs. Jean Savesky, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Betty Jane Savesky, Chicago, to Robert Ganser, Chicago, son of Mrs. Leo Price of Michigan City, Ind.

Miss Savesky is a graduate of Indiana University, and is employed by the Chicago Journal of Commerce. Mr. Ganser also is a graduate of Indiana University. He is associated in the brokerage business.

The couple will be married Sunday, March 18 in Chicago.

### Mrs. Paula Lipton Dies After Six Year Illness

Special

SOUTH BEND—Mrs. Paula Shirley Lipton, 66, 1868 N. Adams St., died Sunday, March 4, at her home, after an illness of six years. She had lived in Fort Wayne before moving to South Bend 13 years ago. She was the widow of Maurice L. Lipton.

Survivors include a son, S. Ray Lipton, Springfield, O.; a daughter, Mrs. Anna L. Freedman, with whom she made her home; a brother, the Rev. M. Hurwitz, Fort Wayne; and four grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted by Rabbi Aaron M. Rine, and burial was in Hebrew Orthodox cemetery, Mishawaka.

### Anniversaries

#### Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gurson

SOUTH BEND—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gurson celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary Feb. 12.

#### Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swedarsky

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swedarsky are in Indianapolis, and will celebrate their 33rd wedding anniversary tomorrow, March 10, together with their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Blay, who celebrated their 7th anniversary Wednesday, March 7.

#### Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doran

FORT WAYNE—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doran celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Feb. 27.

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### In The Service

First Lieutenant Bernard H. Kaseff, husband of Mrs. Rebecca Kaseff, 1916 Park Ave., was wounded Dec. 16 in Europe. He has been in service since June 1941 and has been overseas 8 months. He was wounded previously Aug. 7, with the infantry in France. Before entering the service he attended Indiana University, where he was a member of Pi Lambda Phi fraternity.

Dr. Elliott Hirsh, who has been serving with the U. S. Army overseas in the South Pacific for a year and a half has returned to civilian life and will resume his practice in the Hume Mansur Building.

Sgt. Sander Leventhal, 31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Leventhal, 532 E. 37th St., was wounded Jan. 28 in Luxembourg. He is recuperating in a hospital in France.

Cpl. Edwin H. Cohan is recuperating from an appendectomy at the Station Base Hospital, Dow Field, Bangor, Me. He wants to hear from his friends.

Morris Bryan has received a medical discharge from the army following hospitalization in California after a recent furlough from overseas duty.

Pvt. Saul Grant is home on a two-week furlough with his wife and daughter at 2957 Washington Blvd. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant, and is stationed at Buckingham Field, Ft. Myers, Fla.

Capt. Harold M. Cohen, who has served overseas for 3½ years is returning to civilian life.

Pvt. Al Tuchman, 212 N. Forest, who was overseas since February, is home on a convalescent furlough from Percy Jones General Hospital, Battle Creek, Mich. Pvt. Tuchman returned home in time for the celebration of the birthday of his daughter, Phyllis Jean, 2, on Feb. 24.

### Knesses Israel Women To Hear Shapiro Monday

Rabbi David S. Shapiro will speak at a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Knesses Israel congregation at 2 p. m. Monday at the Shul, 1218 S. Meridian St. A social hour will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Cohen, who have lived in Indianapolis the past few years, have returned to New York City. They were connected with the Lane-Bryant Co. here. Several affairs were given in their honor before their departure.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fineberg have returned from a three week trip through the east visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ida Zoll and Miss Fanny Zoll are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Schwartz.



## SOCIETY

### Bar Mitzvah

Peter Cahn

Dr. and Mrs. Hugo M. Cahn announce the Bar Mitzvah of their son Peter at services at Beth El Congregation, Saturday, March 17. A reception will follow in the vestry. The parents will be at home in honor of their son on Sunday afternoon.

### Emily Peltz to Become Bride of Cpl. Smith, Mch. 18

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Peltz, 2547 N. New Jersey St., announce the engagement of their daughter, Emily, to Cpl. Philip Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith of Indianapolis.

The wedding will take place Sunday, March 18.

### Synagogue Notes

#### Indianapolis Hebrew

An all music service, featuring the singing of the thirty-six voices of the Jordan-Butler Philharmonic Choir, under the direction of Joseph Lautner, of the Jordan Conservatory, will be held at the Indianapolis Hebrew Temple, Tenth and Delaware Sts., at 8 p. m. tonight. The choir will join with the Temple quartet. Rabbi Goldblatt will speak briefly. The public is invited to attend.

#### United Hebrew

The seventh in the series of Post-War Forum Institutes sponsored by the United Hebrew Congregation will be held tonight. The topic will be "Labor vs. Capital in the Post War Era" and will be led by Rabbi Samuel J. Fox. The Minnionaires Junior Choir will sing and the sisterhood will provide refreshments for the social hour. The forum is open to the public.

Monument Chapter No. 549, O. E. S. will elect officers at 8 p. m. Monday at the Masonic Temple.

Only 453 Jews are left in Salonica of the 50,000 who lived there.

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### Sgt. Benjamin Beck Wed Recently to Memphis Girl

Mrs. Samuel Abraham of Memphis, Tenn., announces the marriage of her daughter, Sylvia, to Sgt. Benjamin J. Beck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beck of Memphis, formerly of Indianapolis, on Jan. 28 in New York.

The bride attended Louisiana State University, where she was a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi. Sgt. Beck, who formerly lived with his parents in Indianapolis, was graduated from Shortridge High School and attended Purdue University, where he was a member of Tau Epsilon Phi Fraternity. He received his final training at Fort Lewis, Wash., and was stationed in New York before he went overseas recently.

### Mrs. Block Returns From New York

Mrs. Rae Block and daughter, Mrs. Miriam Block Gelman, have returned from an extended stay in New York where Mrs. Henri Meis and family are now located. Mrs. Isaac Rice and daughter, Mrs. Louis Pearlman, were in Indianapolis Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maschke were in Terre Haute last Friday to attend the installation of Rabbi Leonard J. Mervis as spiritual leader of the United Hebrew Congregation, by Rabbi Emil Leipziger of Touros Synagogue, New Orleans. The latter is an uncle of Mrs. Maschke. Mrs. Jacob Cassell is spending this week in Chicago, during her husband's business trip through West Virginia. Both will return this week end. Mrs. Edwin Letzter is in Philadelphia visiting relatives.

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# Capitol Concerned Over Anti-Semitism

## J. T. A. Political Writer Says Signs Plain Bias on the March in United States

By HERBERT J. SELIGMANN

WASHINGTON—American anti-Semitism is on the march. The signs are so plain and so plentiful as to be obvious to all except those who refuse to see. People in Washington who have an eye to the political and social and economic health of the country are frankly concerned. They are finding anti-Semitism in unexpected places. They find, beneath such surface gestures as those of Brotherhood Week, a strong tide of intolerance.

The forces which are fomenting this activity and supporting it, are various. But the fact of its existence and its extent are not in dispute. Something of the widespread nature of what is going on may be made clear by reference to a number of current symptoms.

For example, I learn that the "Reverend" Gerald L. K. Smith, whose recent political activities were punctuated by repudiation from political groups anxious about their associations, is establishing an office in Washington from which he proposes to send out a "news letter." Inasmuch as the names mentioned in connection with Smith's include the "nationalist" former Senator Robert R. Reynolds of North Carolina, and Joseph Kamp, something of the nature of this news letter can easily be forecast by those familiar with the past utterances of these individuals.

### Use Clever Tactics

In addition I learn that certain members of a powerful group are circulating a questionnaire, purporting to constitute a poll of Communists and "fellow-travelers." One of the questions included in this poll is as to the

percentage of "Fellow-travellers" who are Jews. This is to raise the religious question in a way carefully designated to combine the political and economic prejudice against Communists with the religious prejudice against Jews. The technic is one familiar to students of Nazi methods.

Another symptom of the anti-Semitic current that is now, manifesting itself in the United States—a current that has been characterized as a replica of what occurred in Europe—is to be found in recent utterances on the floor of Congress. Among these was an attack on Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter.

This attack, typical of its kind, tried to create the impression that the Justice was a Communist, that he was "dominating" the President and the Army, that because of the "persecution of his race" he was an "interventionist," and interventionists are portrayed as people who want to create wars in which to send other people to their deaths. The attack on Justice Frankfurter is of a piece with the old and sinister train of slander spewed at any Jewish figure prominent in the service of his country.

The intention here is plainly to make Justice Frankfurter symbolic of all Jews. He is then referred to in terms carefully calculated to rouse every form of hatred and prejudice among the ignorant, the disadvantaged and the envious. It is part of a technic carried to a point of culmination by the Nazis against whom the armies of democracy, staffed with Negro, Jewish and all other minority group soldiers, sailors and marines are carrying forward the banner of human freedom.

### Would Kill U. S. Tradition

The concentrated attacks on Justice Frankfurter form part of the treacherous spearhead of intolerance and of organized anti-Semitism which betray at home what the American soldiers of all creeds and colors are dying overseas to defend.

It is the same spirit that seeks to fasten the chains of religious quotas on dental schools. It is the same spirit that disseminates on the floor of Congress and to the country through the Congressional Record the ancient and blood-stained slanders that have brought unparalleled horror and wreckage and human misery to Europe and the world.

The Jewish minority in America is menaced in its safety and lives by this devilish work. But not the Jewish minority alone. What is menaced also, and just as dangerously, is the tradition of human decency and opportunity for which the United States has stood before the world. It is this tradition which the self-styled "nationalists," the anti-Semites and their cohorts are deliberately and skilfully trying to whittle away.



## Hebrew Stars Interspersed With Crosses in Military Cemetery

HERBESTAL, Belgium—Hebrew stars of David intermingle with crosses at Henri-Chapel Cemetery in Herbestal. This is the largest military cemetery on the continent. American and Allied troops are buried here. There is a special plot for enemy dead—Acme News Photo.

## FDR, CHURCHILL, IBN SAUD ADMIT PALESTINE DISCUSSED AT CONFERENCES

Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt, at his press conference this week, revealed that he discussed the Arab-Jewish problem in Palestine not only with King Ibn Saud, ruler of Saudi Arabia, but also with Prime Minister Churchill. He gave no clue as to the nature of the discussions and their results.

From authoritative sources, however, the Jewish Telegraphic Agency learned that no conclusions were reached with regard to the Palestine problem during the President's discussions with the Prime Minister and Ibn Saud.

Although Jewish leaders both here and in New York have been displaying a marked reluctance to comment on the President's statement, two of the leading Yiddish newspapers expressed keen disappointment with the President's assertion, in his report to Congress on the Yalta conference, that he had learned more about the Moslem and Jewish problem during his five-minute talk with King Ibn Saud than he "could have learned in exchange of two or three dozen letters."

### Roosevelt Deviates From Text To Tell About Discussion

World Wide News Service

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt, in his report to Congress on the achievements of the Crimean conference, disclosed that the Arab-Jewish question had been discussed during his talks in Egypt with King Ibn Saud, ruler of Saudi Arabia.

Deviating from the prepared text, the President declared that he "learned more about that whole problem, the Moslem problem, by talking with Ibn Saud for five minutes than I could have learned in exchange of two or three dozen letters." The President, however, made no specific reference to Palestine. His conversation with the kings of Saudi Arabia and Egypt, he said, "had to do with matters of common interest."

### Churchill Still Maintains Solution Awaits War's End

Jewish Telegraphic Agency

LONDON—The solution of the Palestine problem will be put off until the end of the war

Prime Minister Churchill declared in the House of Commons in the course of a report on the Yalta parley of the "Big Three."

The full text of Churchill's statement on Palestine which he sandwiched in between his reference to his meeting with King Ibn Saud and his discussions with the Emperor of Ethiopia, read as follows: "Although we did not reach a solution of the problems of the Arab world and of the Jewish people in Palestine, I have hopes that when the war is over good arrangements can be made for securing the peace and progress of the Arab world and generally of the Middle East and that Great Britain and the United States, which is taking an increasing interest in those regions, will be able to play a valuable part in proving the well known maxim of the old trader. 'All legitimate interests are in harmony.'"

### Ben-Gurion Not Displeased

Jewish Telegraphic Agency

TEL AVIV—David Ben-Gurion, chairman of the executive of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, declared that he was satisfied with Prime Minister Churchill's statement that the solution of the Palestine question is to be deferred until after the war.

## Results Show Opponents In Wrong—Dr. Silver

World Wide News Service

NEW YORK—Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, whose resignation from the Zionist Emergency Council precipitated a political crisis in the Zionist movement, declared here that Prime Minister Churchill's recent statement in Commons on the Palestine question and President Roosevelt's brief reference to the Jewish problem in his report to the joint session of Congress vindicated his advocacy of a policy of "constant vigilance and unrelenting militant action."

Declaring that his opponents had been "hopelessly in the wrong" in their evaluation of the situation, Dr. Silver asserted that "there was never solid ground for anticipating a positive pro-Zionist declaration to issue from Malta, Yalta or Egypt."

## Penn Grid Star Decorated for Heroism

Special

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—Marine Captain Jack Cohen, former football player and weightman on the University of Pennsylvania track team, has been awarded the Navy and Marine Cross for heroism in saving the lives of four comrades in a heavy surf off Namur Island, Kwajalein atoll, Marshall Islands, last June 6.

The citation was signed by Adm. Chester W. Nimitz. Cohen was on the 1939, 1940, and 1941 Penn football teams.

## JDC, UPA Each Deny Refusing Arbitration

World Wide News Service

NEW YORK—Referring to the statement released by the United Palestine Appeal, that the Joint Distribution Committee had rejected "anything resembling arbitration," Joseph C. Hyman, Executive Vice-Chairman of the JDC, declared that the JDC, in an effort to prevent the dissolution of the National United Jewish Appeal, had not only been willing to submit its unresolved differences with the UPA to arbitration, but that it had previously accepted the recommendations made by a mediation committee appointed by the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds in Cincinnati on February 10th, and that these recommendations were rejected by the United Palestine Appeal.

Special

NEW YORK—Replying to a telegram from Mr. Sidney Hollander, President of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, the United Palestine Appeal declared yesterday that "the belated 'acceptance' by the Joint Distribution Committee of your proposal has attached to it a condition which is tantamount to another rejection of arbitration by the J.D.C."

## Jabolinsky Released In Protective Custody

World Wide News Service

JERUSALEM—Eri Jabolinsky, who was arrested last week, when he reached the Palestine border after having been expelled from

Turkey, has been released from jail. He will be obliged to reside in Haifa and to report his movements to the police.

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## Seventy-Fifth Birthday

DETROIT'S BUSY LITTLE MAN  
MARKS ANNIVERSARY QUIETLY

By ROBERT DeWOLFE

Jewish Post Correspondent

DETROIT—Felicitations from three years ago closed one of the friends all over the United States most notable ministries in the have been and are continuing to modern history of Detroit. pour in to this metropolis to a That word retirement is rather busy little man whose retirement loosely used however as Rabbi

Leo M. Franklin is as busy and active as ever. His seventy-fifth birthday anniversary Monday didn't slow him down a bit more, than the title "emeritus" did in 1942 when Dr. B. Benedict Glazer took over the leadership of Temple Beth El.

"An amazing fund of energy and the buoyant spirit of youth, which are the hallmarks of his personality, continue to delight and impress all who come with-in his presence," Dr. Gazer said this week in a message of felicitation. "One can say of him without reservation that he is about to become 75 years young."

Most of Dr. Franklin's 50 years of active leadership were given to Detroit. It was only seven years after his ordination at Hebrew Union College in 1892 that he was called to serve Detroit's oldest Jewish congregation.

When he was installed as rabbi on Jan. 24, 1899, Temple Beth El, now the fourth largest in the country, had only 136 members. Honored by Catholic College

But his leadership was not confined to the Temple and Reform Judaism. He has been prominent in interdenominational activities since he and other liberals organized the Detroit Interdenomination Community Thanksgiving Service in 1901. It was the first in the world to unite Catholics, Jews and Protestants in prayers of Thanksgiving. It drew editorial praise from the London Times.

Through his fight against the parochial school amendments in Michigan he won many Catholic friends. It also is noteworthy that among the many honorary degrees conferred upon him one is from the University of Detroit, local Catholic college.

When Dr. Franklin retired from active service in 1942, the Detroit Round Table of Catholics, Jews and Protestants presented him with a Distinguished Leadership Citation at a community dinner. Prominent in Nation

Long prominent nationally, Dr. Franklin has held many important posts. They include the presidency of the Hebrew Union College Alumni; the presidency of the Central Conference of American Rabbis; the presidency three times of the Detroit Public Library Commission and an honorary membership for literature in the International Mark Twain Society.

In addition to the community Thanksgiving service, one of his "firsts" was the organization of the Jewish Student Congregation at Ann Arbor in 1913.

No public observance of his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary was held.

The publishing house Hashomer Hatzair in Jerusalem has published a Hebrew translation of his book "Problems of Leninism."

All stores in Tel Aviv closed their doors this week in a one-day protest against the Palestine Government's plan to impose new taxes affecting primarily the Jewish population of the country.

## I Think as I Please

By MRS. CARL ALPERT

## How Jewish is a Jewish Center?

A recent issue of The Reconstructionist carries a letter from the president of the National Jewish Welfare Board in which he indicates, even more clearly than his letter of several weeks ago to this column, the muddled thinking which is prevalent in JWB circles with regard to Jewish Center work. Mr. Weil, apparently totally ignorant of the existence of such an institution as a Synagogue-Center, declares it his belief that it is not possible "for Jewish Centers to adopt any kind of religious program, in the sense in which this is generally understood, without organizing some kind of congregation."

In short, he continues to hold out for a secular Center, one in which Gymnasium Judaism is predominant. It therefore becomes necessary, in discussing community institutions hereafter, to make quite clear what kind of Jewish Center is meant, for what Mr. Weil refers to is by no means the kind of Center, for example, as that presided over in Brooklyn, N. Y., by Dr. Israel H. Levinthal. The one is a Y.M.C.A. for Jews; the other is truly a Jewish Center.

As has been previously pointed out, the Jewish Welfare Board is planning an extended post-war program—of its kind of Center activities—and this column is not the only voice to be raised in pointed interrogation. There has just come to my attention a bulletin from the United Synagogue of America, directed to its member congregations, and raising the same query. Calling attention to J.W.B.'s plans, the bulletin declares that "some of these activities are intimately related to Synagogue Center activities, and there is danger of possible conflict and duplication both on the local and national scene."

The last issue of the Jewish Center quarterly contains a feature program of the Jewish Welfare Board, written by Louis Kraft, Executive Director. And despite the territory to be covered, he warns that even his statement of objectives is not to be construed as a full charter of responsibility of JWB and a full statement of its program.

Mr. Kraft visualizes a Jewish Welfare Board area of operations in the local community, on the national scene, in the general area of Christian-Jewish relationships, and in the world scene. He speaks of the "endless possibilities of the potential power of the JWB to serve the Jewish people and the general community."

"To serve the Jewish people" is a pretty phrase, and Mr. Kraft's plans embrace much that is positive, wholesome and creatively Jewish. It is difficult, however, to reconcile some of his aspirations, with the insistent secularism of the JWB president, and with the actual Center program in most American communities.

The fact is that the Y.M.H.A. type of Jewish Center has failed miserably as an agency of Jewish survivalism; it has been merely an imitation of the physical facilities of other secular institutions, without Jewish philosophy or content. The time has come for the synagogue to resume its rightful place in the Center of Jewish life. The Synagogue-Center must be the home of the place of worship, the school, the clubs, the gymnasium, the swimming pool, the Jewish library.

This is hardly Mr. Weil's conception of a Jewish Center, and there's the rub.

\$200,000 RESTAURANT IS DONATION  
TO PHILADELPHIA JEWISH CHARITIES

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—A well-known seafood restaurant estimated to be worth at least \$200,000 was presented as a gift to the Federation of Jewish Charities of Philadelphia by Harmon L. Blackburn, its owner.

The gift, Old Bookbinder's restaurant, was made clear of all liabilities and represents the largest sum ever given to a Jewish charity in Philadelphia. The business includes five properties and may not be sold within the next two years for less than \$200,000.

The restaurant was founded in 1876 and has been a favorite eat- ing spot for Quakerites. It will continue to operate under the same management. Blackburn, whose late wife was the former Harriet Bookbinder, daughter of the founder, a practicing member of the New York bar. During the last War Bond Drive he bought \$500,000 bonds.

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## NYU Drops Religious Question from Entrance Application

World Wide News Service

NEW YORK—Supreme Court Justice Meier Steinbrink, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Eastern Region of the Anti-Defamation League, this week made public an exchange of letters between Chancellor Harry Woodburn Chase of New York University and himself, in which the Chancellor declared that all questions regarding religion and nationality would henceforth be eliminated from applications for admission to New York University.

These letters grew out of the denunciation of the confidential report sent by Dr. Harlan H. Horner, secretary of the Council on Dental Education, to New York University, urging

reduction in the number of Jewish students and Jewish members of the faculty at the College of Dentistry at New York University.

In the letter Chancellor Chase stated that questions on application blanks regarding nationality and religion "will no longer be asked as part of our application procedure. A separate card, only for religious data, will be provided which the student may fill out after he has been admitted. This represents on our part no change in our policy which has always been one of non-discrimination in matters of race and religion, but simply the omission of requests for data which might lead some to wrong conclusions regarding our policy."

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# Conference Says It Can't Accept Bid for Meeting from Committee

Jewish Telegraphic Agency  
NEW YORK, Feb. 28—The American Jewish Conference today informed the American Jewish Committee that it cannot accept its invitation to an informal conference to consider the formulation of a unified Jewish post-war program.

"We have no doubt that your proposal is dictated by a desire to unite American Jewry on a program for action to meet the post-war needs of the Jewish people," the reply of the American Jewish Conference states. "But we should like to point out to you that the Conference was established as the representative body of American Jews for that very purpose, and we believe that such an objective can best be served through the instrumentality of the American Jewish Conference."

"We would, therefore, welcome any proposals which you care to submit to the various committees of the Conference, which are dealing with all the problems to which you refer in your letter. It is our conviction, moreover, that there is a greater need today than ever before for a unified agency representing all American Jews and look forward to the time when you may find it possible to resume your place in the Jewish

Conference. The creation of a new committee or agency to serve the same purposes for which the American Jewish Conference was established will only lead to confusion and tend to prejudice the attainment of our objectives."

## Two Would Participate

World Wide News Service  
NEW YORK—A willingness to participate in an informal conference to consider the formulation of a unified Jewish post-war program was expressed by the Jewish Labor Committee and the Agudas Israel of America, two of the four organizations addressed by the American Jewish Committee last week in a plea for unity in espousing commissions on the protection of human rights, migration and statelessness "under the general provisions of the Dumbarton Oaks proposals."



## Interfaith Tribute Launches 1945 Joint Defense Appeal

Catholic, Protestant and Jew joined in tribute to Henry Monsky, President of B'nai B'rith, at a testimonial dinner, in New York City recently, sponsored by the Metropolitan Council of B'nai B'rith, in behalf of the Joint Defense Appeal of the American Jewish Committee and the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith. The Joint Defense Appeal announced its 1945 campaign goal to be \$4,000,000. Shown above with Henry Monsky (right) are Father Edward G. Flanagan (left), Founder of Boys Town, and Capt. M. M. Witherspoon (center), District Chaplain of the Third Naval District, who spoke before the more than 1500 members of the Metropolitan Council attending the dinner.

## A Weekly Digest of

# The Yiddish Press

By RABBI BENJAMIN SCHULTZ

## Grant Was President, Lincoln Was Dead 5 Years

ULYSSES Grant was president; Lincoln five years dead. And the Yiddish Press came into being. At Hunter College last Sunday (March 4) the 75th anniversary of this press in America was fittingly celebrated.

The YIDDISH ZEITUNG, first issue, was lithographed, not printed. Then type was imported from Vienna and Vilna, and another paper, THE POST, began to appear, the first real newspaper, a weekly. Those who read it had nothing to do with the Isaac M. Wise school of Reform Jews. They were Russians and Poles, and demanded a weekly, because they read no English, and had to have news of the Franco-Prussian war, which was just beginning. This handful had grown to a few thousand in 1885, when the daily TAGEBLATT was founded. The latter, in 1893, was still printed on a creaking, slow press, though the East Side Ghetto was already teeming with humanity, and there were never enough copies.

At that time, J. Fishman tells us in the Journal, he was working for the TAGEBLATT, and saw the little newsboys grabbing the paper as soon as it came off the press. One of these newsboys was David Sarnoff, now president of the Radio Corporation of America.

"This Press," he continues, "has made tremendous progress in 50 years. It now possesses several hundred learned men, and important writers, who are not shamed before staff members of the world press."

And he expresses a general opinion when he concludes, "Yiddish readers may be proud of the growth of their newspapers in the last 75 years."

## Yiddish Press In Mourning

So President Roosevelt learned more in "five minutes" about the near East, and the Jewish problem from talking to Ibn Saud, the Arab, than he did from that 15-minute conversation with Stephen Wise before he left. That is the only conclusion that we can draw from his

piercingly disappointing remarks to Congress. The Yiddish press is almost in mourning. "The belief that the President is the Jews' friend must not be given up. But the time is getting shorter and shorter," says S. Dingal in the Day. "What will happen to the Jews in the new world? What will happen to Palestine? What is America's answer to those questions? Will the conscience of America be silent?"

"And who will wake the conscience of America?"

"Why was there such objection to the militancy of Dr. Hillel Silver?" asks the Day. "Why the rift in the Emergency Council? It seems that somebody has fooled someone; and the leaders among us have feuded in vain. The Zionist masses want to know. They certainly cannot be consoled by the fact that an Arabian king is suddenly discovered to be a clever ruler."

The Day calls for Zionist leaders to unite, and to demand an answer to the Jewish question.

It is seconded by the Morning Journal, which reminds us that this is no time for any faction to say, "I told you so." "Let the leadership be reorganized, so that no element in American Zionism will be unheard, nor its energies unused. Dr. Weizmann begs for unity in our ranks. If the present officers of the Emergency Council cannot accomplish this, let them make room for those who can."

## Intermarriage Perils

### British Jewry, Roth Says

This column has often reported the epidemic of conversions to Christianity in darkest Europe. But now we have a new surprise. England is in the same boat. The conservative "Jewish Chronicle" has an editorial titled, "A Community Facing Disaster."

The historian, Cecil Roth, warns us. The youth, in large numbers, is leaving our faith. He sees it mostly among the refugees, many of whom would like to forget Judaism. Mixed marriages, he reveals, are the rule! He sights a large percentage of weddings between refugee girls

and British soldiers; also between American servicemen and English gentiles.

The British Jewish community is so small, that danger of its eventual disappearance is real. To add an ironic note, the Chronicle prints a letter from a Christian minister which declares that the new converts are a difficult problem not only for Jews, but also for Christian society.

He asserts that these new Christians are violently anti-Semitic; and that this, their psychological compensation, is embarrassing to the Church. Their hatred of Israel makes things hard, because leaders of the Church would like to live in peace with their Jewish neighbors.

The Journal's A. Zeitlin, who brings us this news, advocates that the fight against anti-Semitism everywhere, even here, includes a campaign against conversion.

## Description Vivid, Cast of Characters Real

For many months it has been my privilege to read a serial in the Morning Journal called, "My Diary of the Warsaw Ghetto." Mary Berg, an American girl, tells of her life during four years of Nazi horror in Warsaw. The descriptions are so vivid, the cast of characters is so real, that one feels one is participating in a historic incident. This book has now been published in English by L. B. Fischer. It is edited by S. Shneiderman, and is a living document worthy of being added to your library. (Editor's note: It may be purchased through The Jewish Post's Book Department.)

## Dutch Hate the Germans, They Plan Hitler's Death

The Day's M. Danzig retells a story of Dutch hate against the Germans. It was told him by the late Hendrik Van Loon. Hitler, it seems, was caught by the Dutch and taken to Amsterdam. The manner of his death was thoroughly discussed. The great public square of Amsterdam, holding between seven and ten thousand persons, was found to be too small for those who would happily see him die. Finally, it was decided to erect a huge bonfire, and to ignite it by

## JEWISH COUPLE GIVE BLOOD 25TH TIME, BUT DON'T THINK FEAT UNUSUAL

Special  
WINTROP, Mass. — Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Krantz of this town don't think it extraordinary but their friends feel that they have

done more than the unusual with the announcement that they have contributed twenty-five times to the Red Cross Blood Bank. This does not include a number of other blood donations given to replace plasma drawn because of emergencies for illnesses of friends and neighbors.

The Krantz's are both active in all Jewish communal affairs of this seashore town. Mr. Krantz, who is an insurance salesman, is president of Ocean Lodge, B'nai B'rith. Mrs. Krantz is president of the lodge women's auxiliary. They are active in Temple Tifereth Israel and are serving on the 1945 Winthrop Red Cross Campaign committee.

a fuse, which would stretch all the way from Rotterdam to Amsterdam. This would give everyone a chance to see the fuse burn on its way, and finally, when the fire reached Hitler's pyre, thousands more would see the explosion and the final cremation.

The day came. The elaborate ritual was followed. The hated enemy's death became a slow ceremonial. Finally the pyre was about to explode, when a raving citizen ran up shouting, "Hold! Hold!" Everyone marvelled, for they knew this man had two sons killed by the Nazis.

But the man raised his hands to heaven, and in a voice which trembled and screamed with rage, he said, "Hold! Hold! Let us begin all over again. Let us not kill him so quickly."

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## Russians Liberate 2000 Jewish Women

World Wide News Service

MOSCOW—The Russian Army, now close to the gates of Danzig, has liberated 2,000 Jewish women from a concentration camp near Torun, it was disclosed here this week. The women, deported by the Germans

from various occupied countries to the camp in the Posen district, had been forced by the German military authorities to work at building fortifications. They are now resting in Lublin, where Jewish organizations camp near Torun, it was disclosed here this week. The women, deported by the Germans

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## Jews in Uniform

THE HONOR ROLL: Distinguished Service

### Wounded in Action

In all these cases, next-of-kin have previously been notified and have been kept informed directly by the War Department of any change in status.

PFC. BEN BLISS, Infantry, of Brooklyn, in France, by sniper fire. In a message to his parents, Ben wrote: "The sniper that got me won't bother any of our boys again."

PFC. JEROME BERKOWITZ, 21, Marine Corps, of Brooklyn, on Guam. A veteran of three major battles and many minor skirmishes, he holds two Presidential Unit Citations.

PVT. RUBIN BILDER, 25, Army Medical Det., of the Bronx, in France, by shrapnel.

PVT. IRVING S. COHEN, 24, Infantry, of Brooklyn, in France.

PFC. JACK H. COHEN, 20, Infantry, of Brooklyn, in France.

PFC. JULIUS J. DUKAS, 22, Infantry, of New York City, in France.

T/5 BERNETTE DISHMAN, 22, Infantry, of Chicago, Ill., in France.

PFC. MARTIN I. ELINOFF, 22, Marine Corps, of Brooklyn, Mass. On Peleliu, by shrapnel. Presidential Unit Citation. His older brother, Louis, an Air Force gunner, has recovered from wounds he sustained in the battle of Sicily.

STAFF SGT. LESTER E. FRANKENSTEIN, 25, Army Air Force, of St. Wayne, Ind., European area. A gunner, he holds the Air Medal, three Oakleaf Clusters, and a Presidential Unit Citation.

PVT. HAROLD B. GRIEFF, 22, Marine Corps, of the Bronx. Twice: first on Guadalcanal and then, two years later, on Peleliu.

PVT. SIMON GARFINKLE, 33, Cavalry, of Philadelphia, Pa. At St. Lo.

LT. LAWRENCE L. GOLDWASSER, 28, Army Air Force, of New York City. Over Holland. He is a pilot.

PFC. RUDY GARTENBERG, 23, Infantry, of Chicago, Ill., in France.

STAFF SGT. HARRY G. GUNTHER, 25, Infantry, of Brooklyn, in France, by mortar fire, while on a special mission.

PVT. HAROLD S. GOLDBERG, 31, Infantry, of the Bronx, in France.

PFC. MORRIS HORWITZ, 31, Infantry, of Chicago, Ill., in France.

FIRST SGT. ERNEST L. HOROWITZ, 28, Infantry, of Minneapolis, Minn., in France.

LT. CARL M. HARRIS, 30, Parachute Infantry, of Snow Hill, N. C. At Caratan, France. Took part in the famous Arnhem engagement as a member of the 1st Allied Airborne Command.

PFC. MEYER F. KOROWITZ, 22, Army Air Force, of the Bronx. European area.

PFC. JOEL KOVITZ, 30, Infantry, of New York City. On Black.

LT. RALPH LEINDORF, 25, Army Air Force, of New York City. Over Belgium, by flak, while on a night mission. He is a co-pilot.

PFC. JACOB J. KARCHIN, 31, Infantry, of Vermillion, O. in France, by shrapnel.

LT. BERTRAM MANN, Army Air Force, of Plainfield, N. J. Over France, by flak. Holds the Air Medal and three Oakleaf Clusters.

## Pitt Gunner, With 70 Missions To His Credit, Holds 13 Awards

Special

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Sgt. Joseph D. Marks, 22, Army Air Forces, of this city, has received the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal and eleven Oakleaf Clusters, for heroism as an engineer-gunner in the European

area. He has flown on 70 combat missions, including assaults on targets in France, Holland, Belgium and Germany.

Sgt. Marks served aboard a B-26 bomber on missions during which, according to the DFC citation, his "unfaltering devotion to duty and tireless zeal were inestimable contributions to their successful completion."

## 300 Hours Flying Record Of Radio Operator

Special

NEW YORK—Sgt. Lester Robert Altman, 25, Army Air Forces, of Jackson Heights, N. Y., holds the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air medal and Presidential Citation for his part in strenuous aerial flights in the China-Burma-India theater.

Altman began service with the India-China Division Air Transport Command in July 1943, and distinguished himself on numerous occasions while participating in the operation of the giant transport planes that hauled vital military cargo to Allied forces warring against the Japanese in China. These flights entailed frequent crossings of the dangerous North Burma "hump" of the Himalayas.

He took part in more than three hundred hours of operational flights aboard transport planes, serving as radio operator in the "dangerous and difficult Assam-China air routes, according to the DFC citation. Night as well as day flights were part of his routine, during which the mountainous terrain and treacherous weather conditions necessitated a high degree of skill. Evening interception and attack were frequent.

## 7 States Consider Bill; N. Y. Passes It

World Wide News Service

ALBANY—A forward step in making New York state the first in the country to legally outlaw racial and religious discrimination in employment was taken here this week when the Assembly, by a vote of 109 to 3, adopted the Ives-Quinn Bill creating a five-man permanent commission to bar discrimination and to sponsor educational activities aimed at eradicating it.

The Senate is expected to approve the measure this week.

Similar measures are now pending in Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, California and Illinois.

## Indiana Legislature Asks For Homeland

Special

INDIANAPOLIS—A resolution recommending the "opening of Palestine for free immigration and unrestricted colonization so that the Jewish people may rebuild their ancestral homeland as a free and democratic Jewish commonwealth" was passed by both houses of the State legislature here. Gov. Ralph Gates signed the measure Saturday.

Indiana became the twenty-third state to pass such a resolution. The Resolution asks also that just punishment be meted out to the Nazis responsible for the persecution of the Jews.

### Killed in Action

SGT. PAUL BLACK, 33, Infantry, of Kingston, N. Y. In France. In civilian life he was a city alderman.

PFC. HENRY BLOOM, 20, Infantry, of Duluth, Minn. In France. He was a veteran of the African and Italian campaigns.

STAFF SGT. IRVING BORDEN, 27, Infantry, of Brooklyn, in France.

PFC. LEWIS L. BREGMAN, 25, Infantry, of the Bronx, in France.

PFC. MORRIS CHERRY, 23, Infantry, of Philadelphia, Pa. In France.

T/5 JACOB COHEN, 26, Infantry, of Brooklyn, in France, on D-day while trying to help a wounded comrade. He had participated in the African and Sicilian invasions.

PVT. REUBEN DRAZEN, 36, Infantry, of New Bedford, Mass. On New Guinea.

PVT. ROBERT DUBERSTEIN, 26, Infantry, of the Bronx, in France.

PVT. THEODORE S. EISENBERG, 20, Infantry, of the Bronx, in France. Presidential Unit Citation.

PVT. GEORGE EVANS, Infantry, of New York City, in France.

STAFF SGT. MILTON S. FEFFER, 20, Army Air Force, of Los Angeles, Cal. Over Rumania, after completing thirty-eight missions as a ball turret gunner. He held the Air Medal and four Oakleaf Clusters.

PFC. NATHAN FEINMAN, 29, Infantry, of the Bronx, in France.

LT. SOL FISHMAN, 24, Army Air Force, of New Bedford, Mass. In the Asiatic theatre, as navigator of a B-29.

CPL. DAVID FREEMAN, 20, Marine Corps, of Los Angeles, On Saipan.

LT. MEVIN GLADSTONE, 23, Army Air Force, of McHenry, Ill. Over France. A bombardier, he held the Air Medal and three Oakleaf Clusters.

STAFF SGT. MERRILL A. HERTZMARK, 21, Infantry, of Springfield, Mass. In Germany.

PVT. WILLIAM KAPLAN, 21, Army Medical Det., of Chicago, Ill. In Germany.

CAPT. SEYMOUR R. KATZ, 37, Army Medical Corps, of Chicago, Ill. At Black.

T/4 LEONARD STEINBOERN, 27, Infantry Reconnaissance, of Chicago, Ill. In Belgium.

STAFF SGT. IRVING L. SUMMERFELD, 21, Infantry, of Indianapolis, Ind. In Metz area.

## Sgt. Weinberg Leaves Gun Carriage to Kill 4

Special

BROOKLYN—Sgt. Eugene Weinberg, 23, of this city, has received the Bronze Star Medal for heroism as a tank gunner on Kwajalein. While manning his tank gun, he noticed that four Japs were carrying ignited mines with which they were attacking two tanks in his unit. Weinberg ignored his own safety and left the protective armor of the gun carriage to go after them. With the help of a comrade, he killed the four enemy soldiers with a sub-machine gun.

"His prompt and courageous action," said the award citation, "undoubtedly saved the lives of his comrades and prevented the destruction of valuable equipment."

## Dallas To Build Jewish Hospital

Special

DALLAS, Tex.—Following the recommendation of Rabbi Israel H. Weisfeld, new spiritual leader of Congregation Shearith Israel, steps are being taken leading to the building of a non-sectarian hospital and clinic to be known as Mount Sinai of Dallas, by the Jews of this city. Several large sums have already been contributed to the project, it was announced.

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## New York Dateline

By RINNA GROSSMAN

### 3 Kings, 2 Statesmen and 1 Broken Promise

THE BIG news this week, of immediate concern to world Jewry and to Palestine is still the meeting aboard an American warship, of President Roosevelt and the Three Kings of the Orient. The dispatches, sent by color-dazed reporters from Cairo were redolent of oriental splendor and packed with references to the Arabian Nights and to the glory of the desert. In reality, of course the fact that King Farouk of Egypt, and King Ibn Saud, potentate of Saudi Arabia, called on President Roosevelt on his way home from Yalta is fraught with significance, if not actual peril, for the future of Jewish aspirations in Palestine.

It seems clear now that the problems of the Arab Near East were discussed by the Big Three at Yalta, and that Premier Churchill's and Anthony Eden's hasty Egyptian visit was not merely a convenient stop-over for the weary travellers returning from the Crimea.

It is, perhaps, premature to attempt to piece together the various portents of both these visits, but one thing is at once clear. Ibn Saud's memorable trip to Egypt was undoubtedly made in the two-fold name of courtesy and oil interests. It seems, however, that since the Foreign Ministers of 7 Arab states were then meeting in Cairo, the matter of a Pan-Arab Federation could hardly have been avoided as a topic of polite conversation either with Ibn Saud or young King Farouk. It also seems clear, judging from various newspaper reports, that these two monarchs would not have been summoned to Mr. Roosevelt's presence, as it were, in order to be told that their plans were to be cancelled or postponed. It is entirely plausible that the Churchill-Roosevelt Near Eastern trip resulted in the blessings of the Big Three for the Arab Federation. Incidentally, it must not be forgotten that Ibn Saud did meet Churchill at the latter's headquarters that same week. But the visit which seems to be the more significant is that of the President. For it seems to be safe to assume that the ascending star of the United States in the Near East was formally and most ceremoniously dedicated aboard the now famous warship.

THE British press has already begun the game of speculating as to what went on. Some papers predict that Anglo-American approval was given to the leadership of Ibn Saud in the projected Federation. Others claim that the visit proves nothing more than the fact that the British and the Americans have at last realized the necessity for pooling their common interests throughout the world in the name of eventual realization of this cause and that the Near Eastern reception was simply the first attempt to stage a joint "receiving line."

Be that as it may—the fact that Palestine must have been mentioned is of paramount importance. What was said about Palestine is impossible at the moment to guess. Certainly, neither Farouk nor Ibn Saud were informed that a Jewish Commonwealth would be created. Certainly, too, they were not brought aboard the warship to hear from either F. D. R. or Churchill that there would be a Jewish majority in Palestine. At best, and to save the unblushing faces of the British and American leaders, they were told that while they could go ahead with their Federation plans, they would both be wise to remember that official British backing of a Jewish National Home had once, years ago and in another world, been announced publicly, and that the change in Anglo-American policy would have to be made slowly. In other words, the green light was flashed reluctantly but definitely to the Arab chieftains and the fate of Palestine, for the immediate future, not noticeably changed—but probably sealed to a certain extent.

If this guess comes anywhere within range of the truth, the Jews in Palestine and elsewhere have been sold out. Russia was party, it goes without saying, to whatever decisions were made or transmitted in Egypt, and the Big Three seem to have come to a conclusion about the affairs of the Near East. In my column last week, I predicted that very much this sort of thing might happen and that it would be well to read in-between the lines of newspaper stories datelined "Cairo".

Now, it is no longer necessary to read between the lines. I, for one, and many Zionists with whom I have spoken here in New York, feel most pessimistic and apprehensive about the things that were said or signed when jasmine, mimosa, swords and ceremonial robes were exchanged on board Roosevelt's ship and in Churchill's hotel. It is possible that among these glittering and precious gifts, one small, green and very dear stretch of land along the bluest part of the Mediterranean was given away.

Anyhow, the precedent-shattering voyages, the exotic food, the wondrous robes and everything else that made the two sojourns a field day for the press may well spell glum news to Jews throughout the world.

And how odd that the self-styled Lion of Judah, Haile Selassie, Emperor of Ethiopia and the first victim of Allied appeasement and Fascist aggression, should have followed the Two Kings of the East onto the self-same warship. Perhaps he was the only one to understand what actually was happening. It would be interesting to know what he thought.

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#### Japanese-Hawaiian Girl Wins

**BAYONNE, N. J.**—A Bayonne school girl of Japanese-Hawaiian ancestry was among the six junior and senior high school students who won gold medal awards given by Bayonne B'nai B'rith Lodge for the best essays written in a contest on brotherhood. The girl is Mikiko Kashiwabara, 14-year old ninth grade student in the Henry E. Harris School.

## Rabbi Criticizes High Cost of Jewish Funerals

Special

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.**—Criticizing the "unsavory situation" regarding funeral costs "in Jewish communities throughout the country," Rabbi Gershon Hadas, of Keneseth Israel-Beth Sholom Synagogue here, asks for the assumption by the communities of all burials. "Certainly something should be done by our communities to eliminate the sordid business of playing on the feelings of those who are stricken," Rabbi Hadas wrote in The Synagogue Scroll.

Rabbi Hadas' article follows in full:

"The Federal Council of Churches, in a recent survey, revealed some startling and ugly facts as regards the unwarranted cost of funerals throughout the country.

"The survey showed that undertakers taking advantage of bereaved relatives inveigle them into spending 'three or four times the deceased's monthly income for a decent burial.' 'Many undertakers,' said the survey, 'fix the rates on the basis of the insurance carried on the life of the deceased. Competition in the funeral business is not in terms of price and quality, but competition for the possession of bodies.' The Federal Council's report concluded by pointing out that funeral costs should range from \$84 to \$165 and that the actual charges by self-maintaining co-operative societies are within these figures.

"This survey set us thinking of the unsavory situation as regards this matter in Jewish communities throughout the country as well as in our own city. Certainly something can be done by our communities to eliminate the sordid business of playing on the feelings of those who are stricken.

"Traditionally and properly Halvayas Ha-mess' the burial of our dead was never a business for private exploitation. It was a duty which evolved upon the community. As such it was inevitably conducted in a decent, dignified and sacred manner.

"It is our opinion that this function should be reassumed by all our communities, just as it has been done in some cities, that the profits—if it be conducted on a basis of profit—be given to homes for the aged and the like.

"If that be too radical as an initial step, then we suggest that a uniform casket be used for all funerals and a uniform fixed rate be set. Certainly in death there ought to be no distinctions of any sort.

"Only then shall we return to the fine dignity and sanctity of the traditional Jewish funeral service. All those who are aware of the situation will surely heartily agree with our suggestion. We shall be glad to hear what our readers think of this matter."

## Her Jewish Refugees Vexes Some in England

Jewish Telegraphic Agency

**LONDON**—A re-examination by the British Government of the question of internment 40,000 German nationals in this country was demanded today in the House of Lords by Lord Ailwyn who argued that these nationals constitute a "potential danger." He also asked repatriation of these refugees at the earliest possible moment after the cessation of hostilities.

Replying, Lord Templewood said that Lord Ailwyn generalized too much. He pointed out that many Jewish refugees have given services of greatest value to Britain.

Figures made public here today on the number of Jewish refugees in England reveal that 10,000 left the country before the outbreak of the war. Of the remaining 50,000 about 12,700 have left since the war. It is estimated by Jewish groups here that another 14,000 will emigrate overseas after the war. About 7,000 Jewish refugees are serving in the British armed forces.

The industries developed by Jewish refugees during the war absorb more local workers than the total number of Jewish refugees in the whole of England. Although Jewish leaders have no definite information as to the

status which the government may allow to remain in the country, give the refugees after the war, They also believe that refugees they hope that no drastic steps serving in the armed forces and will be taken and that a large those engaged in important war number of refugees will be al- work will be naturalized.

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# The Junior Post

For Boys and Girls

By RUTH PALLER

IN a New York tenement house lives a boy named Shimmele, a business man, hero, and doer of good deeds, especially in his imagination. In reality, he is a regular fellow with a talent for getting into predicaments. In two books, "Shimmele" and its sequel, "Shimmele and his friends," Rufus Lears tells the adventures of the boy and his neighbors on the East Side.

Shimmele has a special friend, the wise old Reb Pinye. At night Reb Pinye sits in shool and teaches Talmud, but by day he is a peddler of pretzels. Winter is coming on and Shimmele persuades Reb Pinye that he could keep warmer and do better business if he bought a little charcoal stove and sold hot sweet potatoes.

The new business opened on Thanksgiving and since there was no school, Shimmele and Reb Pinye went together to the Park, trundling the stove before them. But it was too cold for people to be out, it seemed, and except for a policeman who took a big steaming potato for nothing as he passed, the only customer was a big hulk of a man who rose from one of the benches and lumbered toward the stove. The man had long blond hair which hung down his forehead to his eyes and a stubbly red beard. His shirt was open at the neck and his thin coat was much too small.

Shimmele handed him a hot potato and said, "Only three cents." The man took it with a grin of surprise and happiness and crammed it into his mouth and swallowed it.

"Three cents," said Shimmele, but the stranger merely smiled like a happy child and warmed his hands at the stove. Shimmele and Reb Pinye, a little frightened of their "customer", seized the handle of the stove and began to wheel it out of the park, but the "customer" followed. Wherever they halted, he stopped too and hugged the stove.

At last Shimmele turned to their follower in anger, "You big hobo," he cried, "do you think we bought a stove to keep you warm?"

But the man continued to hug the stove and smile an empty, happy smile and said nothing. Pity for the shivering half-witted stranger took hold of Pinye's heart.

"Shimmele," he said, "let him warm himself. It's a pity on one of God's creatures."

All that day the "customer" followed them, eating hungrily the warm potatoes they fed him.

The short day was drawing to a close. They had made an occasional sale but business was poor and they decided to call it a day and go home. The stranger still followed them.

They had turned into Cherry Street, pushing the stove briskly when on the opposite sidewalk they saw a mass of furniture and other household goods heaped up on the sidewalk. On a chair sat a woman with a baby

in her arms. The woman was trying to force a bottle of milk into the infant's mouth, but the little one was objecting in a loud wail.

"What's the matter?" Shimmele asked the woman. "Maybe he'd like a sweet potato."

"No, no, he's too young," the woman sighed. "He would spoil his little stomach. The milk is cold—he won't take cold milk." Shimmele took the bottle and warmed it in the coffee pot on the potato stove. At once the baby gulped the milk down with frantic gurgling, then it smiled and crowded and kicked its legs.

"Long life to you," said the mother, and she rocked the baby and cried.

Pinye and Shimmele soon learned the facts in the case. The family had been put out of their flat the day before. The husband whom everyone agreed was a thorough "shlemiel" had been out trying to find an apartment and a truck to move his belongings. In the meantime a committee of women were out making a collection to pay the rent. They were expected back any minute.

Pinye and Shimmele waited. Shimmele offered the woman some sweet potatoes which she accepted gratefully.

"Reb Pinye," said Shimmele, "we're still doing business. And your stove is good for everything—for sweet potatoes, for warming people, and for baby's milk also."

The committee was first to arrive with a whole month's rent in their hands. Then the father came, his shoulders bent, his feet dragging.

"No?" asked his wife. "No, nothing!" he answered. "They don't move today because it's a holiday, and wherever I went the rent is too high."

"Such a shlemiel!" people exclaimed, "What will be?" asked the leader of the committee. "Money we have but you will have to stay on the street just the same."

Shimmele looked ruefully at the helpless man and suddenly he had an idea. He darted away with a handful of sweet potatoes from the stove.

In a few moments he returned, but not alone. Alongside of him lumbered the bulky form of the vagabond who had followed them all day long for food and warmth.

"Begin right away and hurry up!" Shimmele ordered him. "It's on the top floor."

As though they were little bundles of feathers, the smiling man took up heavy pieces of furniture and disappeared with them up to the flat from which the family had been evicted the day before.

The janitress came out and watched him in amazement, but she did not stop him.

The sidewalk was soon cleared and the family back in their flat with the rent paid for another month.

The stranger disappeared in the dusk and Pinye and Shimmele resumed their journey home.

"Nu, Reb Pinye," said Shimmele, "what do you think of the first day's business?"

"No bad, not bad," said Pinye. "It's a good business. It's a business where a man can earn a lot of mitzvahs and make sure of his portion in the world to come. If only I could find some way of making a living, I would continue in this business the rest of my life."

—Retold from "Shimmele and His Friends", by Rufus Lears.

## Eighth Grade Friday Night Services

By BENEDICT A. ROBBINS

On January 26, the eighth grade of the Temple Emanu-El Religious School took over part of the regular Friday night service. After Rabbi Schultz started the service, he called on the children to take part in it. Irwin Ampter started the children's part of the service with an opening prayer. He was followed by Gabriella Simon, George Ratner and Benedict Robbins who read parts of the service.

When the time for the sermon came, the rabbi led off with a short talk on the attitude of the child and the parent toward Sunday School. He then called on three of the eighth graders to read the papers they had prepared on the subject. These three were Edward Altman, Selma Machanoff and Joan Glassman.

Following the service, there was a kiddush in the vestry rooms where the teachers of the Sunday school were hosts to a large group of parents, and where some of the work of the school was on display.

## We and Our Parents Think of Sunday School

By EDWARD ALTMAN

Health, happiness and religion. These three are the essentials to the life of an individual. The one that I am going to talk on is the last—religion. A good foundation must be laid in order of give you a better understanding of our religion as you mature. The purpose of our Sunday School is to assist you in attaining this knowledge. Our religion, Judaism, is a great one, but it will need the children of this generation to continue its greatness. Therefore the teachings of our Sunday school are vitally important. However, they need the cooperation of the children and parents both and each child should have the attitude that their Sunday morning will be spent profitably.

Some of the parents believe that if there is something more important to do their child need not go to Sunday School, but if the case were pertaining to public school there would be no failure in the child's attendance. It must be realized that the Sunday School is at least as important as the Public School.

By SELMA MACHANOFF

There are many things about Sunday School that discourage me from going, but yet there are still more facts informing me that I should attend.

Sunday School is something that is not compulsory in our religion, but I believe there are more children attending some kind of religious school than are not. There are three reasons. First of all to learn about our religion, secondly for an education, and there are social reasons.

Everyone knows that our parents have some influence over us. But that isn't all. I think that we Jewish children should know the history of our people, for both present and future reference. It is just as important to learn about our religion as it is to get a general education. Judaism is one of the most important of all religions in world history. Therefore it is our duty not only to ourselves but to all Jews, willingly to attend Sunday School.

By JOAN GLASSMAN

Parents' attitude toward Sunday School is rather confusing. We as children go to Sunday

## How to Have Your School Edit This Page

On various weeks hereafter, The Junior Post will be turned over to religious schools throughout the country as their own to edit. Temple Emanu-El of Yonkers, N. Y., which inaugurates this new idea, conducted a contest among its pupils and the best articles are printed herewith. If you are interested ask your rabbi to write to The Junior Post, The Jewish Post, Indianapolis, Ind., and a week will be reserved for your own school to edit.

school for a few hours a week to learn all we can about Jewish History and customs, together with the bible and Hebrew language. Our teachers try very hard to make sure we understand everything they undertake to teach us, and I can truthfully say that I make every effort to absorb as much as possible, because my parents make it very uncomfortable for me if my report card shows that I am not an apt student.

If parents would really be interested in their children's work at Sunday school, question them on what they are doing, and how they are making out, and occasionally speak with the teachers about their children's progress, then, I could say that parent's attitude toward Sunday school would not be confusing.

## A Column of Views and Comments By G. M. COHEN

Recently some camp was charged with turning down a Jewish prospect and immediately some parents whose children had been fortunate enough to attend this particular camp, made a protest, saying "it ain't so". Last year a girls' school was charged with the same offense, and immediately other Jewish parents came back with that's impossible. Of course, in both instances (name given on inquiry) what was happening was that so many Jewish applications were being received that the institutions decided to do something about it. Probably there was no implication of anti-Semitism in the action, although assuredly it was anti-democratic. Yet it's a bad situation. I'll let you tell me the solution this time.

I came across the following paragraph from an address by George E. Stringfellow, retiring president of the Kiwanis Club of New York City, and it reminded me of the fact that the Indianapolis Rotary Club does not admit Jewish members.

Here is the quotation: "The summary of our objectives is to 'give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.' This I believe, is the heart of every religion. Kiwanis and other service clubs are made up of Catholics, Jews and Protestants because these clubs represent all segments of America."

An Indianapolis Jewish organization is taking up the matter in a "quiet way." I don't approve. I think that if possible the membership list of the club should be published in the local Anglo-Jewish papers. But I have an idea that this write-up will be just as effective. Let's see.

Out in Los Angeles, it seems that it is nothing for the most popular of the movie stars to take part in purely Jewish ac-

## A Play Your School Can Produce for Passover

By PHYLLIS ROLNICK

The Sunday School presents a play entitled, "The Teacher Chanukah," written and produced by Miss Jean Gann. Miss Gann is a music, dramatic, and Hebrew teacher on our staff. Rehearsals were held every Wednesday for about eight weeks.

The play was about a Jewish child who told the story of the holiday to her public school teacher and Christian classmates and invited them to his house to see how Chanukah was celebrated. The second scene showed a beautiful home with the entire class and teacher participating in the feast. As the play closes, we realize that closer friendship and better

Here is news of a play, written and presented by the school. It was given for Chanukah but as you read about it, you will notice, that the idea may be used just as well for Passover.

Understanding between Jews and Christians has been brought about.

After the play, the Sisterhood of the Temple distributed candy to the entire Sunday School and special presents were given to children who took part in the play.

## Children Visit Temple Cathedral in Manhattan

Making it the high point of a whole day's outing, the eighth grade class of the Religious School under the direction of its teacher, Mrs. Stern, visited Temple Emanu-El of New York (a different temple from the one in Yonkers) for a Saturday morning religious service. They visited the Vestry Rooms and also the servicemen's canteen the Temple operates. After lunch they walked down Fifth Avenue to Saint Patrick's Cathedral which they visited and which interested them greatly as some of the children had never been inside a Catholic Cathedral before.

The plan is to show the children how other Jews and other religions worship God. Another trip was planned for the eighth grades to visit the Portuguese Synagogue, the oldest in New York.

activities. For instance last week B'nai B'rith Messenger carried the news of the Charity Ball of the Junior Auxiliary for the Home for the Aged, and among those present were the new Mayor Elliot Roosevelt, whom you may know better as Faye Emerson and these others: Jimmy Durante, Jackson, Bob Hope, Frances Langford, Jerry Colonna, Tony Romano, June Powell, George Krupa and his band, George Murphy, Margaret O'Brien, Dorothy May Whitty, Lucille Ball, Danny Thomas, Carmen Brodka, Andrews Sisters, Ray Engle, Lushanda, Danny Kay and his wife, Carlos Ramirez, Frances Sinatra, Georgie Stoll and her orchestra, Mary Pickford, Bill Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lake, and a host of others.

And speaking of Hollywood we've been getting quite a lot of new subscriptions from the someone said something in the office, commenting on these subscriptions, that maybe some of the movie stars would subscribe to the paper. Wherever this week came a subscription from a Mrs. Edward A. Harris, signed underneath (Ruthalice Selman). Could be, couldn't it?

**WAR BONDS**
*In Action*


## Strictly Confidential

By PHINEAS J. BIRON

### Listen Here

The public school system of Philadelphia will soon be under attack for its laxity in handling anti-Semitic outrages committed by pupils under the very eyes of the school authorities. . . . Important sections of the CIO will set up, before long, an unprecedentedly big machinery for a nationwide campaign against anti-Semitism and anti-Negroism. . . . This activity will establish new standards for aggressive and fearless tactics, and will have the support of a strong Christian religious leadership. . . . Here's a good decision: The Nazi-owned colony of Sarona, adjacent to Tel-Aviv, was expropriated by authority of the Palestine government for the erection of a municipal hospital.

### Good News

The liberated portion of Holland is setting a splendid example as regards the Jewish refugee problem. . . . The Netherlands Association for Assistance to Jewish Minors, with headquarters in Tilburg, is doing a great job. . . . Its main purpose is to restore Jewish children to their parents if they are still alive, or else to their nearest relatives. . . . If no relatives can be found, the Association will arrange for the support and education of the orphaned children. . . . Bravo! . . . A co-operative German publishing group has been established in New York. . . . Its purpose is to bring out good anti-Nazi books in German, for use in German prisoners' camps in the U.S.A. primarily. . . . The name of the publishing group is Aurora Verlag. . . . Among its sponsors are Ernest Bloch, Alfred Dobelin, Lion Feuchtwanger, Heinrich Mann and F. C. Weiskopf.

### Jewish Affairs

Winchell is rarely wrong. . . . Last week, however, somebody took him for a ride when he slipped him the "information" that American Zionist leaders were at Yalta and sat in on conferences. . . . This is the bunk. . . . An extract from the Jewish Black Book sponsored by American, Palestine, Russian and other United Nations Jewry is being readied for the San Francisco Conference of the United Nations. . . . Aaron Fishman, imaginative young attorney, is doing a bang-up one-man impresario stunt that sets a new record. . . . All by himself Aaron lines up each year, for the benefit of the Jewish Home of Convalescents, a Nite of Revelry at Carnegie Hall with artistic participation surpassing that of the famous Night of Stars of the New York United Jewish Appeal. . . . This year's mammoth benefit takes place on March 11, with three Metropolitan Opera stars among the many performers. . . . A \$150,000 fund is being collected for a Sergeant Meyer Levin memorial. . . . If you feel like contributing, send in your gift. . . . We shall be glad to turn it over to Judge Jacob Livingston, one of the sponsors.

### About People

The Lublin government has appointed Major D. David Kahane as Chief Rabbi to the Polish army. . . . Add things we didn't know till now: The jeweler friend of Father Flanagan in the film "Boys' Town" is modeled after none other than Henry Monsky, president of the B'nai B'rith. . . . Sylvan Joseph, who used to head the OPA in New York, is preparing to go into politics. . . . He will probably be the Democratic candidate for the Manhattan borough presidency. . . . A new news service is a-borning, we hear, with Marshall Field and James Warburg as co-fathers. . . . Howard Fast has been keeping very busy. . . . His edition of the "Selected Works of Tom Paine" has just been published, and a new book of American folk tales is just about ready for the presses. . . . Ella Winter is readying a book on her recent trip to Russia. . . . Successor of the late Alfred E. Smith as head of the executive committee of the Holy Name Center, operated by the Catholic Charities, will probably be General Sessions Judge Jonah J. Goldstein.

### Weekly Giggle

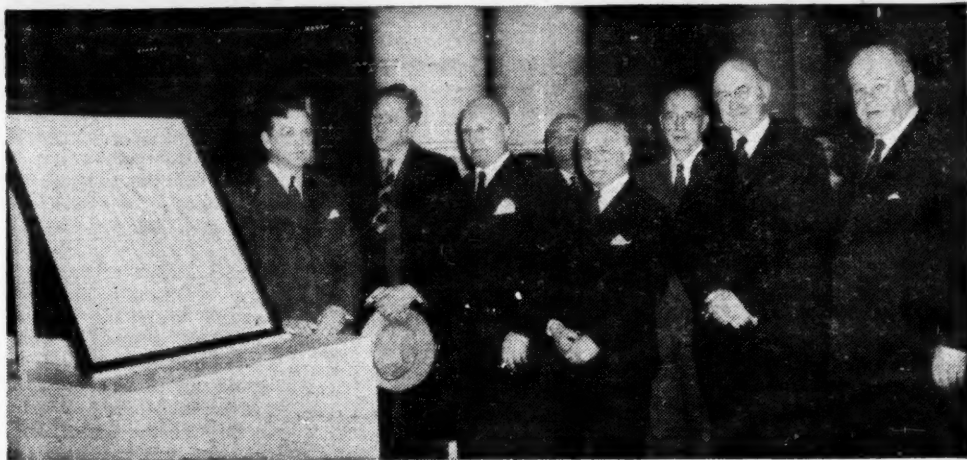
Going around the army camps is the story that an American guard at a P.O.W. camp heard one German prisoner complain to his buddy: "Hitler told us we'd march from California to New York—but he didn't tell us we'd stop to pick peanuts in Georgia on the way"

## THE COLUMN WITHOUT A NAME

He (Rabbi Leo Jung) favored Jewish Parochial Schools. Jewish Parochial Schools and the American way of life!—that to me is a contradiction in terms, and the growth of the idea in Jewish communities is destructive as the idea is divisive and contrary to the trend of American history. When Protestantism in America has practically relinquished parochial education, when even Catholic Parochial Schools have a falling appeal, should our people take up those threads of American cultured history which have been well lost in the larger and nobler pattern of democracy? Our American democracy comprehends the values of the Jewish-Christian tradition. These values have in struggle and labor been

woven into the texture of Public School Education. Jewish Parochial Schools would deny and subvert that tremendous achievement. — Rabbi Emil W. Lelpziger.

More serious, however, is the fact that we Jews, as Jews, do not truly practice Brotherhood among ourselves. We say, "Veahava lereacha comocho." But do we live on the basis of that Biblical precept? We classify ourselves as Orthodox, Reformed, Conservative, and Reconstructionist Jews, and then instead of trying to share our likenesses, we stoutly condemn the other points of view. Where is our Brotherhood? All Jews claim to believe in the same One God. We all believe in "Talmud Torah keneged kulom," we all believe in ethical idealism, in the highest Jewish relationships of man to man,



### Barney Balaban Gives Valuable Document to Library of Congress

Barney Balaban (third from left), president of Paramount Pictures, member of B'nai B'rith's Cinema Lodge in New York and a member of the National B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation Commission, presents one of the original copies of the Bill of Rights to the Library of Congress, which had not previously owned a copy of this historic document. Left to right: Dr. Luther H. Evans, acting librarian; Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas; Mr. Balaban; Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter; Solon J. Buck, archivist of the U. S.; Supreme Court Justice Stanley Reed and Postmaster General Frank Walker. Mrs. Balaban made the gift as "a token of gratitude" for the freedom which his parents, born in Russia, found in America.

## WITH THE RABBIS

### Rabbi Henry Fisher Takes Chicago Pulpit

**SPECIAL**  
ROCHESTER, N. Y. — Rabbi Henry Fisher, who has headed Temple Beth El since 1939, will go to Chicago in September to become rabbi of B'nai Zion, one of the largest and oldest conservative congregations in that city.

The pulpit at Beth El, largest conservative Jewish congregation in Rochester, is the second one Rabbi Fisher has held since his graduation from Jewish Theological Seminary in New York in 1928. His first 11 years as a rabbi were spent at Congregation Derech Emunoh in New York.

In Chicago Rabbi Fisher will succeed Dr. Abraham Lassen, who has been rabbi of B'nai Zion since it was founded 36 years ago. The temple also has an assistant rabbi, Jacob E. Segal, now on leave with the armed forces.

### Mark 100th Anniversary

WILKES-BARRE, Pa. — The hundredth anniversary of Temple B'nai B'rith here will be celebrated March 23-25.

### Rabbi Wolk in Albany, N. Y.

ALBANY, N. Y. — Rabbi Samuel Wolk has been elected spiritual leader of historic Congregation Beth Emeth here.

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### Give a Pint of Blood

and of man to god, we all are bending our every effort for a haven of refuge for our landless brethren. And yet even among those who struggle for Zion we find little true Brotherhood. We have the Z.O.A., the Mizrahi, the Paole Zion, etc., more frequently in disagreement than in agreement.—Milton B. Perlman.

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## The Mystery of German Laughter

My friendship with Grosz grew quickly and I was inducted into the true mystery of the opera hat, the Book of Dada, and of German laughter. I had, on the train coming into Berlin, met one of the rarest human specimens in the world—a laughing German. Dr. Dohman was a Dadaist. And Dadaism was a cult of laughter founded by Grosz, and a number of other anarchs. It was an art movement based on a turned stomach and a yell of derision. Its purpose was to wipe out every trace of Germanism from Germany—its dripping poetry, its watted professorialism, its sarcophagi canvasses, its musical opium, its Prussian strut, its obsession with greatness. And above and beyond all these, its brutal manners and national oafishness. It was the helpless effort of Germany's human orphans to deride the future out of crushing them. Of all the things I noted in Germany, this cult of Dadaism was the most important. It was the only German revolution that took place in Germany. The rest were all fakes, as will be all its future revolutions. But Dadaism, small, doomed and fleeting, was the one little uprising of the ego in strudel-headed Duetschland. It cried out shrilly, comically, and bitterly for the overthrow of the German soul.

The men and women who had undertaken this program gave it many bizarre expressions. Among these was the plan of making German stupidity self-conscious by imitating it—with an extra fillip. Hence Dr. Dohman's hat. Hence Grosz' pompous and elegant ways of speech. Dohman and hundreds of others swarmed through Berlin, out-acting and out-pomping the witless Prussians, caricaturing them in restaurants and theaters.

I remember the famous Dada Concert of the Arts given in the largest hall in Berlin. It was advertised with the dignity of a Wagner festival. The tickets were priced as at a championship fight. Full dress was demanded. Special boxes were decorated for high army officers.

And all Berlin came—all the high-born, high-collared, and highly spiritual ones. They had paid large sums for their tickets and had been assured that they were to witness a veritable congress of German culture. The first "number" on the stage was a poetry contest. Grosz was master of ceremonies for the evening. He announced in the longest German words I had ever heard that the Dadaists were going to stage not only a poetry contest, but a simultaneous poetry contest. Twelve of the most distinguished poets of the Fatherland and one hotel porter were going to read simultaneously their thirteen poems—the winner to receive an award of five thousand marks.

The thirteen poets lined up, Grosz fired a gun in the air, and they began declaiming simultaneously their thirteen different poems.

The second number was a race between a virgin of twenty-five at a sewing machine and a poet, weighing 125 pounds, at a typewriter. Again Grosz fired the starter's gun, and the typewriter and sewing machine started off.

The poet, said Grosz, had won because the virgin had stabbed her finger with the needle. The third number was a Modern Concert. Five large posters, each with a single music note drawn on it, were placed on the backs of five chairs and the audience was invited to drink in the beauty of sound with its eyes.

There were other numbers—but they became inaudible. The audience rioted. Shots were fired and the Noske soldiers sent for. The last I recall of the Concert of all the Arts was the entrance of a hundred pre-Stormtroopers from General Noske's garrison—and the shrill voices of Grosz and Dohman calling out from the stage and the two slogans of the evening, "Art Is In Danger" and "Take Your Foot Out of the Butter Before It's Too Late."

A number of heads were broken but there were no fatalities. The Dadaists scattered to their various ateliers and Berlin seethed for a week over the insult.

"We may yet succeed," said Dr. Dohman to me the next evening, "in making the Germans ashamed to be fools."

But the truth of the Dada movement lay more in Grosz than in Dohman or any of the others. The truth lay in Grosz' drawings—the ten thousand fabulous black and white pictures which established him as the greatest caricaturist Europe had ever known. But he was more than caricaturist. Grosz was the German revolution, the brief, wild answer of the orphans at the roadside.

I brought a photographer to Grosz' studio a week later. He photographed hundreds of Grosz' black and white pictures. The pictures enchanted me. I knew at the time the work of Felislen Rops and the daft Austrian Alfred Kubin. But beside Grosz, these two Satanists and convention rippers seemed a pair of aldermen.

The works of George Grosz were the single-handed answer to a nation and a national psychology. They were Nietzsche turned into a skyrocket of ink. No more ruthless lines have ever been put to paper. A draughtsmanship of invective, a world that looked like a smashed strawberry box, a courage that raised caricature to a religion, filled the pictures. Not an artist or even a revolutionist was behind these drawings, but a surgeon at work on Germany, an unfrightened surgeon carving away at the greatest cancerous area ever seen on a modern operating table.

Looking at this Germany drawn, carved, hacked, sprinkled on paper by Grosz, you beheld lust and murder, murder and lust. You saw a desperate, retching criminal clawing at life with his fat neck dripping and his little pig eyes unaware. Always unaware. The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse were prettier and more lovable than the Germans Grosz drew. The scratchy lines, the half lopsided, battered exteriors of buildings, streets, furniture and faces seemed to scream as in some Devil's Confessional. They screamed their Germanism.

I met the other orphans, one by one. Poets, publishers, journalists, professors—there

a Professor of Mathematics who wore a black cloak and walked the streets of Berlin after midnight playing a cornet till dawn; physicians, lawyers, businessmen, were among them. And also, scores on scores of people who were neither artist nor professional, but the ill-shod, untutored, hungry disciples of something that did not exist in Germany.

The German orphan long ago gave up his brief revolution through laughter. Ridicule, he discovered, is never a match for the ridiculous. But he still exists, in and out of Germany. And he is a pariah more pathetic than his friend, the Jew. He must roam the strange streets of the world—the German freak who is not a German; the two per cent of humanity trapped under German hair cuts and behind German wing collars.

I know them well and embrace them all. They are fine fellows and fine women, but when I look at them I do not see Germany. I see only those whom the Germans call always criminals.

The German underground of today (in our last war year) is the descendant of these Dadaists. The German humanists who speak or merely dream in silence of a world rid of German brutality are the inheritors of Dada—the Indian Rope Trick cult by which the little orphan of Germany once sought to make it disappear.

These good Germans—the egoistic believers in life—continue to fight for the cause of human honor. They die for truth. But why honor warriors by giving them the name of their enemy—Germany? Germany does not produce them. It merely throws them out, cripples, crushes and bounds them to the ends of the earth.

These good Germans represent no German current, no German party and no German future. They are the brothers of talent, and not the sons of Germany. There have never been enough of them to clean even a patch on the German face.

### My Tante's Magic Umbrella

There is another matter that has been omitted from my book, but this omission is a deliberate one. In what I have written thus far of Jews I have made no effort to defend them against the charges that assail their name. I have, more likely, in the eyes of many Jews, attributed to them nearly all the faults of which the anti-Semites accuse them—that they are a sharp, subtle and boastful lot; that they are an egoistic lot who do not fit in with the herd instincts of other peoples—(this sort of generalization reminds me of a saying by Ted Cook, author of Cook's Cuckoos, to wit, "The narrower the mind, the broader the statement"); and that, view them through any colored glasses, you will find them (the Jews) standing out in a community like flies in a milk pail or raisins in a cake.

It is the habit of Jewish apologists to deny all this. But I am not a Jewish apologist, and have never understood the technique of apology. When I am dead, and present myself to my Maker I may, if I am properly spoken to, make my first apology. I will apologize for having been a human being.

I see nothing else for Jews to apologize for than this. But it is an apology they need not make to other human beings.

When I read the semi-scientific and semi-apologetic explanations for the Jews (they are not a race, but a group of seven vanished uncles from Palestine . . . tyranny and boycott are responsible for their nose blowing . . .

the latest anthropological findings, are exactly the same as the feet of the inhabitants of upper Silesia); when I read this touching, apologetic twaddle, I am reminded of what my Tante Chasha once said to me on this general subject.

I was six years old and she was forty and we had both been ejected from a theater for denouncing one of the actors on the stage. This actor, a policeman, had walked on the stage and accused another actor of having stolen a diamond bracelet from the heroine. Both my aunt and I had seen the crime committed under our very noses—we were in the first row, balcony—by another man. I was unable to contain myself when the handcuffs were put on the innocent actor, and yelled loudly that a miscarriage of justice was taking place. I pointed to the real rogue, smirking to one side of the stage, and cried that there stood the man who had stolen the diamond bracelet. I demanded his arrest.

Ushers arrived to silence me and when one of them tried to clap his hand over my screaming mouth, my Tante Chasha hit him over the head with an umbrella.

"He's a bright boy," she roared—she was a large and easily offended woman—"and he's got a right to complain if he don't

like the way this bit of offal is going (I am translating from the Yiddish). He's got an absolute right."

My Tante and I were running up the aisle, her umbrella swinging like Porthos' cudgel.

In the lobby we were met by the theater manager, a show fat impresario who belonged to the same circle of poker players as my aunt—it was a Yiddish theater.

"Mrs. Swernofsky," this manager looked at her full of awe, "I am really surprised at your behaving yourself like this. I am afraid, Mrs. Swernofsky, I must ask you to apologize."

(Continued Next Week)

## 2 Children Admit Cemetery Desecration

**OAKLAND, Calif.**—Two children of respectable families living in the neighborhood of the Home of Peace Cemetery have admitted desecrating the stones in the graveyard. Officials are under the impression that the entire damage, confined mostly to the old graves, was done by these youngsters, but investigators of Beth Jacob Congregation, owners of the cemetery, expressed the view that it was highly improbable that the youngsters, aged 9 and 10, could have done all the damage.

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## Between You and Me

By BORIS SMOLAR

A feeling of disappointment prevails in the ranks of Zionist leadership in America as a result of Churchill's announcement that the Palestine question will not be settled until the war is over. . . . There is

**POLITICAL DEPT.** also much disappointment over the report that the San

Francisco conference of the United Nations will not take up the Palestine issue. . . . But there is a silver lining to this aspect. . . . At least the delegates representing Arab countries will not be able to undertake anything with regard to Palestine at the San Francisco parley. . . . And it must not be forgotten that while Jews have no seat at the United Nations table, the Arabs have many seats there. . . . It is not for nothing that countries like Egypt, Syria and even Lebanon rushed to declare war this week on Germany and Japan. . . . This belated jumping on to the band wagon of the United Nations was aimed, among other things, at securing seats at the San Francisco Conference. . . . So that while Jewish delegations will work hard in the lobbies, to, at least, get a hearing at one of the commissions of the conference, the Arabs will be insiders there as full-fledged members of the United Nations. . . . Incidentally, Zionist leaders in the United States may be interested to learn that plans are afoot to open an Arab propaganda office in Washington. . . . And by the way, there is no truth whatsoever in the reports published in some New York papers that Dr. Weizmann met with Churchill in Egypt. . . . And it also seems that the usually well-informed Walter Winchell was misinformed this time when he reported that Zionist leaders were present at the Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin talks at Yalta.

The Washington office of the Anti-Defamation League of the B'nai B'rith reports that non-

Jewish members of Congress are confused by SCENE multiplicity of Jewish organizations and the sometimes conflicting causes which they promote. . . . Many earnest, friendly legislators, sincerely desirous of being helpful, frankly confess their bewilderment and helplessness in the face of factional demands and the obvious absence of agreement among their constituency of the Jewish faith. . . . We hear that a cable has been received in this country from Dr. Weizmann appealing for the restoration of unity in the ranks of the American Zionist movement. . . . Dr. Weizmann is expected to arrive in the United States in the middle of April, and would like unity to be restored before his arrival. . . . Whether a basis for a reconciliation with the pro-Silver group can be found is the question which will have to be answered by both factions. . . . In the meantime, a New York Zionist leader is proposing a round table meeting between spokesmen of the two groups in American Zionism.

Jewish leaders in the United States interested in the formation of a United Jewish representation in connection with the forthcoming conference of the United Nations at

San Francisco will be very much interested in P. Horowitz's "The Jews, the War, and After," just published in London. . . . The author, a noted Zionist and well-known figure in the Anglo-Jewish world, analyzes the Jewish problem, dwells on all major aspects of Jewish life, and comes to the conclusion that the Jewish question, though thorny, is not insoluble. . . . In fact, he offers a number of possible solutions. . . . What worries him most is the internal Jewish discord. . . . He points out that despite general belief, Jewry is not well organized for united action. . . . If confusion, and at times impatience, prevail in official circles in regard to Jewish affairs, the Jews cannot be held blameless in the matter, Mr. Horowitz emphasizes. . . . Few government departments in London and in Washington have not been inundated with resolutions, petitions, representations and deputations from different Jewish bodies, all claiming to be representative and frequently contradicting each other. . . . The spectacle is not an edifying one, the author says quite rightly, and he, therefore, suggests that all major Jewish bodies reach an agreement on a minimum program. . . . He foresees that some groups may oppose the inclusion of Palestine in the program, but he believes that these groups constitute a very insignificant minority. . . . Once the representative bodies in Jewish life have united on an agreed program, these groups must either fall into line, or be ignored by Jews and non-Jews alike, the author argues. . . . Mr. Horowitz's book is a very timely contribution in the light of the forthcoming conference of the United Nations. . . . It would be of service to the Jewish cause if copies of this book could reach each of the delegates participating in the San Francisco Conference, since the Jews will have no direct voice there.

### Questions and Answers

**This Week's Question**  
What is the Historicity Concerning the Crucifixion of Jesus?

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**ANSWER:** According to the Gospels, Jesus was born a Jew and died a Jew. At no time did he break with Jews or Judaism. On the basis of available sources, there is no reason why his fellow-Jews should have tried and condemned Jesus. During his day, wide variety in religious and political matters was openly countenanced by Jewish authorities in Palestine. There were three leading parties, the Pharisees, Sadducees and Essenes, who differed radically from each other in thought and practice, yet there is no report of a single occasion when individuals were put to death for their opinions. According to some historians Jesus is said to have expressed the view of the Essenes; according to

## AL SEGAL Speaks on KEYS OF THE KINGDOM

OUR local archbishop, John T. McNicholas, has admonished Catholics of his diocese to keep away from the Conference of Christians and Jews of which a branch has just been organized in our town. Speaking through his chancellor, he says: "Catholics should not participate in conferences with those of other faiths under the auspices of religion. Debates and conferences, especially of a public character, with those who are not members of the Catholic faith are forbidden by pontifical law."

"The Catholic Church teaches that only God can impose upon the world an organized religion; that Christ, truly God, gave us this divinely organized religion in the Catholic Church, which is the only custodian of His teaching. . . .

"The Catholic Church can not give the impression that one religion is as good as another or that she must strive with other faiths for a common denominator of religion. This attempt would give the faithful the impression that basically and essentially different religions are the same."

At the same time the archbishop makes known that "we, as a body of Catholics wish to make contacts with our fellow-citizens. We are anxious to promote good will; we wholeheartedly condemn bigotry in every form as well as every evidence of hostility shown to individuals or groups because of race or color or religion. In a word, we stand for the dignity of every human person which bears the impress of God, its Creator."

Well, your grace, most Jews don't feel that way about Catholics and Catholicism. They would tell you that they consider Catholicism as good a religion as Judaism, if it leads Catholics to walk in Godly way, as many Catholics do, and thereby to be righteous in their dealings with other men, as many Catholics are.

On those ways Jews know Catholics as brethren with whom they can go toward a world made more just and lovely—a kingdom in which God reigns by peace and justice. They know that men of all faiths strive toward that kingdom and what Jew may walk alone in stiff-necked pride, as if he had the only way to the kingdom?

I myself have many times been a witness to the majesty of the Mass and, since I understood it, I have never felt alien to its meaning. I have understood it as one of the keys to the kingdom.

Yes, as a Jew, I have believed that we all have keys that open various doors to the same place. The Protestants have their keys, the Catholics theirs and the Jews possess an ancient key that they received at Sinai. Our own key opens the door to the One God, ruler of the Universe, who spoke through our prophets on the way men should deal with each other.

others his message was essentially Pharisaic in character. The day of the first day of Passover, which is quite out of the question, in view of the holiness of the day. Finally, it is significant that the Gospel of John, which gives abundant details about the last scenes of Jesus' life, has nothing to say about trial by a Jewish court. What could have happened, which, speaking in the name of the Jewish community, could put Jesus on trial and, after finding him guilty, prevail upon the Roman officials to crucify him. The so-called "Sanhedrin" mentioned in the Gospels, was no longer an official body representative of the Jewish people in Palestine but rather a group of individuals appointed by the Roman party machine in power. The account of Jesus' trial, as told in the Gospels, is completely at variance with Jesus court procedure, as stated in the Mishnah, oldest compilation of rules of Jewish traditional law. For instance, in the Gospels, the charges on which Jesus was brought before the Jewish authorities are nowhere clearly stated. Further, it would have been most unusual for the "Sanhedrin" to convene in the middle of the night. The trial and the Crucifixion are supposed to have taken place on the night and



I have believed that some day all our keys together will open all the doors to let in the divine air and light on a world that suffocates in the acrid odor of hate and is blinded in the darkness of its prejudices.

Should I stand apart from him because my Catholic brother has a different key to another door? I rejoice in him and esteem him as brother in faith precisely because he has another key to open a door to the kingdom. I know very well that when his door and the Jews' door and the Protestants' door are opened they will admit the same light and the same breath of God to invigorate the spirits of men.

It pleases me to have many Catholic friends who think as I do about people of other religions. My Catholic friends do not regard me, the Jew, as a foreigner to the Godly purposes of Catholicism. My friend Sweeney likes to say, "Segal you're going my way," by which he means the same thing I do when I say that we all have keys to the doors of the kingdom.

I recall that one Sunday several years ago I marched in the Holy Name parade. As a reporter for the daily press, I had been assigned to write about this parade and I thought it might mean something to the brotherhood if a non-Catholic marched in it and then reported the matter. I marched with the men of the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows among whom were a number of my friends.

They were happy to be participating with me in this gesture and one and another joyously noticed its implications. Yes, they said, this looked like it: This was a symbol of the brotherhood. This resembled their old dream coming to something of reality. They exulted: "Well, Segal, today, anyway, we're going the same way."

They didn't feel any less Catholic because a Jew was marching shoulder to shoulder with them in their religious procession. Nor did I feel the less Jewish because I was going along with some brethren who were headed toward the same kingdom.

(I could feel the more Jewish because this gesture of fellowship had to do with one of my Jewish ideals, and I am sure my Catholic friends could see in it something of an affirmation of their own religious idealism.)

You see, your grace, the feeling for religious brotherhood is deep in the hearts of men—a fact of human life. People just can't be held separate. If brotherhood isn't to abide in the house of the religious where in the world can it lay its head? In tricky national chancelleries? In the furious competition of the market house? In the jealous rivalry of political parties?

May I say in conclusion that if a rabbi told me to keep away from conferences with Christians under the auspices of religion, I would answer: "My dear friends and brother, what is this, our religion, if it shuns the essential brotherhood which is the child of the universal Fatherhood. Let's go along with the brothers for the sake of our Fathers."

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To make "The Jews," an entire people, responsible for the supposed misdeeds of a few would be a monstrous injustice; for it must not be forgotten that the faithful followers of Jesus, his disciples, as recorded in the New Testament, were Jews; the crowds which thronged to him and hailed him as teacher and friend; his intimate associates, apart from those officially appointed as apostles; and, finally, the women who were devoted to him and who brought their children to be blessed by him, they all were Jews.

There are no contemporary records of the life of Jesus. The

gospel accounts were compiled many years after his death, as much as from one to three generations. Scholars have been trying to disentangle fact from interpretation and to reconstruct the few undisputed data of the crucifixion into a coherent whole.

Crucifixion was a Roman method of execution never practiced under Jewish law. The very form of death, as well as the inscription I. N. R. I. (Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews) points to the real cause of his death: his execution by the Romans who feared he was a revolutionist.

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## WANTS OPINIONS ON TEACHING OF RELIGION IN SCHOOLS

To the Editor:

The people of the City of South Bend, and not excluding the Jewish population, are confronted with a particular problem dealing with religious education in the public schools.

The eighty-third Regular Session of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, in 1943 enacted a law, Chapter 225, pages 660-661, H195, approved March 9, 1943, entitled:

"School for Religious Instruction—Provisions."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that a new section, to be designated and numbered section 5½, of the above entitled act, be and the same is hereby created, to read as follows: Sec. 5½. That if it is the wish of the parent, guardian or other person having control or legal custody of any child, that such child attend, for a period or periods to be determined by the local principal or superintendent of schools and not exceeding in the aggregate one hundred and twenty minutes in any week, a school for religious instruction, conducted and maintained by some church or association of churches, or by some association organized for religious instruction, and incorporated under the laws of this state, and which school shall not be conducted or maintained, either in whole or in part, by the use of any public funds raised by taxation; such child upon written request of the parent, guardian or other person having legal custody may be permitted to attend such school for religious instruction and such permission shall be valid for not longer than the school year during which it is issued. Such school for religious instruction shall maintain records of attendance which shall at all times be open to the inspection of the public school attendance officer. Attendance at such school for religious instruction shall be given the same attendance credit as at the public school."

Under the authority vested therein, the Council of United Churches of St. Joseph County became instrumental in providing religious instruction, which in turn set up a curriculum to be followed in the public schools of the City of South Bend. This curriculum is as follows:

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Session I—How is the Bible Different from Other Books?

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Session XI—Jesus Stands for the Right.

Session XII—Jesus' Friends Carry on His Work.

Session XIII—We Would See Jesus.

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Session I—What Are Some Problems With Which We Need Help?

Session II—How Can We Tell What Is Honest?

Session III—What Should We Do on Sundays?

Session IV—How Can I Learn to Want to Do My Share?

Session V—How Can I Know When It Is Right or Wrong to Tell?

Session VII—How Can I Be More Thoughtful?

Session VIII—"I Would Be True" (Worship Service).

My discussions of the question of religious teaching in public schools with many persons in and about this community, both Jew and non-Jew, have been very enlightening. The primary reason for the inability of these persons with whom I have talked to enlighten me on the subject was because very few, if any, understood what was being done in the public schools, other than that the parents of children who attended the public schools of this city were presented with "Parents' Request" blanks, given by the teacher to the children, which in substance was a request on the part of the parents to the school authorities to permit the children to attend classes providing for religious instruction.

The contention on the part of the Council of United Churches of St. Joseph County, and the public school authorities, is that the obtaining of religious instruction in the public schools is purely voluntary, and I believe that this is so. However, this question has aroused a great deal of discussion, both friendly and with animosity, and I believe that it is the duty of each and every person to understand fully what is being done, and then to decide whether or not it is desirable to have religious training offered in the public schools. In my opinion, it is a problem which should be approached in an intelligent manner, with first an understanding of the facts and factors involved; secondly, as to whether or not religious training in public schools is desirable; thirdly, if it is desirable to assist in setting up a program that will be acceptable to all religious groups and denominations, and fourthly, if it is not desirable to have religious training in public schools, to do something about having religious

training taken away from public schools.

I sincerely invite a submission of opinions and suggestions pertaining to this problem. Please send your suggestions or opinions to the Jewish Post, or to the undersigned.

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## LOUISVILLE B'NAI B'RITH NEUTRAL ON STATE, NOT IMMIGRATION

To the Editor:

In behalf of the Louisville Lodge No. 14, B'nai B'rith, I am compelled to answer the article appearing in your Feb. 23, issue, by correctly stating the facts. The Louisville Zionist Emergency Council requested of the lodge, that they write or telegraph the president of the U. S. urging "the establishing of a democratic Jewish commonwealth." Your article read "urging that the doors of Palestine be kept open to Jewish immigration." It is apparent to any partisan, pro or con on the issue, to the very marked difference between those statements.

Over a year ago, when the lodge was requested by the Zionist organization of Louisville, to send a wire on open immigration, it did so at once, because there is no disagreement either in or out of B'nai B'rith circles, that Palestine be kept open for immigration.

After the aforementioned letter urging the creation of a Jewish commonwealth was tabled by the executive committee of the Louisville Lodge, after a very thorough and careful discussion, this writer, in order to make clear the position not only of the Louisville lodge, but of the Supreme Grand Lodge, called upon Charles Strull. I attempted, as best I could, to clarify the issue, and the reasons therefore, putting aside my personal views. Mr. Strull was shown the resolution and statement of president Henry Monsky, reading as follows:

"B'nai B'rith has a membership of diverse ideological points of view. We must not attempt, by the rule of majority, to regiment the thinking or encroach upon the freedom of action of the minority, however small. . . .

The adoption or defeat of these resolutions would be contrary to this principle. I ask that, because

## DOESN'T BELIEVE BROTHERHOOD WEEK CAN EVER BE VERY SIGNIFICANT

To the editor,

In comment on Saul E. White's article of March 2, in the Post, You said it brother! But you forgot to finish the story, to-wit: that after the boxing is over, even the shadow fades and the arena is cleared once again for the next fifty-one weeks of mud to gather.

Assuming that all concerned with The Round Table of Christians and Jews are sincere in their efforts, how, still, can it be possible to clean away in one week the mess allowed to amass in fifty-one. The very title Brotherhood Week smacks of something like fire prevention week, or be kind to animals week. No understanding built on a week of hypothetical brotherhood can be expected to become very significant. Here is an example . . .

During one of the War Bond Drives I volunteered my time as a warden and was given to cover two square blocks close to my home which is a mixed neighborhood. I rang the bell at one house and when the lady opened the door and saw what my mission was, she fell all over me as tho I were a long lost sister, with: "Of course, I'll buy bonds. We have to help all we can. But you know my dear, all of this is useless anyway, because we'll never have peace so long as we have those G— damn Jews. They're the ones who started this war, you know. I say we ought to take 'em all up and send them back for Hitler to take care of." I was furious but I asked her when she proposed we ought to do this? "Now," she answered rather heatedly, "while Hitler is

still able to take care of them." So I told her that perhaps I could help her in this, that I would write to my son who is a Jewish chaplain, right in the hell of things, and ask him to compile a list of all the Jewish boys who are now lying wounded in the hospitals, of those who are not coming back, and of those who are right at this moment fighting for a glorious victory for America, and she can then send the list to Hitler. All of this time I wore a chaplain's silver decalogue on a black dress, like a beacon of light, but who would expect her to either have learned the significance of this decalogue, or to identify me thru it during one week of Brotherhood. Another lady begged my pardon before asking me whether Jews believed in G-d.

During all the years of Brotherhood weeks, all the good it has ever done is give the Rabblis an excuse to visit a church, and the Christian ministers a chance to tell the Jews at first hand, how happy they are that the Jews gave them a Saviour. They aren't venture any further, for fear they might break the ice for good.

LILLIAN RESNICK OTT  
Chicago, Ill.

## UJA Partners Gel Welfare Fund Threat

World Wide News Service

TRENTON—The executive committee of the Central Atlantic Region of the Council of Jewish Federation and Welfare Funds, encompassing organized Jewish communities in New Jersey, Eastern Pennsylvania, De-

Holds Up Allocation to Both Special

TERRE HAUTE—The Terre Haute Jewish Federation has withheld payments to the Joint Distribution Committee and the United Palestine Appeal as a protest against the break-up of the United Jewish Appeal.

aware, Maryland, Virginia and Washington, D. C., met here this week with representatives of sixteen cities present and adopted a resolution demanding the immediate reconstitution of the United Jewish Appeal.

"In the event that such immediate reconstitution of the UJA is not accomplished," the resolution continued, "we favor the establishment of an allocations committee representing our respective communities to distribute the funds raised by these communities directly to the organizations previously joined in the UJA.

"We unreservedly condemn the action of the agencies formerly constituting the UJA in harboring the leaders of our communities with partisan literature which creates confusion, irritation and divisiveness and seriously harms our efforts to raise maximum funds for the cause in which we are all vitally interested, and we demand the immediate cessation of such reprehensible practices," the resolution concluded.

## Pell Ready to go Back On War Crimes Body

Jewish Telegraphic Agency  
WASHINGTON—Herbert C. Pell revealed here that he would appeal to President Roosevelt to restore him to the post of American representative on the United Nations War Crimes Commission as a result of approval by the House Appropriations Committee of a \$25,000 fund to cover full American participation on the commission.

## New York to Split On 57-43 Basis

SPECIAL  
NEW YORK—A 57-43 per cent division of funds for the Joint Distribution Committee and the United Palestine Appeal was voted by the allocation committee of the 1945 campaign of the United Jewish Appeal of Greater New York.

## Jews

☆ I'll Take 'Abe Saperstein

in

☆ You Can Have Mike Jacobs

## Sports

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By HASKELL COHEN

YOU can take your Mike Jacobs, Ned Irish, and your other big name promoters. I'll take a little fellow who hails from Chicago as my conception of a promoter. His name is Abe Saperstein. Where Jacobs is satisfied to promote in Madison Square Garden and Irish will only put on basketball doubleheaders in Buffalo, Philly, and New York, Abe Saperstein will go all over the country to put on a sport show. Not only that, he sometimes leaves the states to put on promotions in Mexico and Canada.

If you call Abe at his large Chicago office you are sure to get the answer, "He isn't in you might try him in Birmingham, Alabama." Birmingham will answer, "You just missed him, he is on the way to San Francisco. He just caught a plane."

This may sound like an exaggeration but we speak the gospel truth. Abe has his finger in several pies. Nobody including little Abe probably knows what he has going for himself. Right now as this is written Abe is on the Pacific Coast touring with his Harlem Globetrotters, a classy Negro basketball quintet that plays the best college and service teams and rarely loses to them. Two weeks ago Saperstein arranged a series of games with Army fives that netted five thousand dollars for Army charities. You can rest assured the Globetrotters also did well for themselves.

By the time this column appears Abe will be deeply engrossed in arranging his baseball schedule. This little man is part owner of the Birmingham Black Barons, last year's winners of the Negro American League pennant. In addition Abe books all the colored baseball teams through the mid-west together with the better white nine which travel west of Pittsburgh. In normal times when the ODT and Selective Service were unheard of Abe had hundreds of teams booked throughout the whole mid-west. In addition he personally promoted and still does for that matter games between the bigger money makers.

A typical Saperstein production on a Sunday in Wrigley Field will offer the Kansas City Monarchs featuring the fabulous Satchel Paige against a crack white aggregation using Lefty Gomez or Roy Parmelee, ex-Giant, as their pitcher. In addition he will put on a foot race between Jesse Owen, great Olympic sprinter, and Helen Stephens, the Missouri gal who made Olympic history.

His baseball promotions have taken him as far north as St. Paul and as far south as Birmingham. His Globetrotters are not misnamed. Abe books them from early November to the end of April. They usually start the season in the east, say in Trenton, and work their way completely across the country. The boys play every night, often doubleheaders. They will play where no basketball team ever played before. They have put on games in haylofts, skating rinks, and abandoned swimming pools. Towards the end of the season they hit Vancouver and Northwest Canada where they are prime favorites.

After this far western trip the team returns to Chicago for the World's professional basketball tourney. The Trotters won this tournament four years ago against the best quintets in the land. By this time March is about over and the season is on the wane in the states. But not Abe Saperstein. His love for basketball can never wane. He formerly played pro ball in the Old American League. When the states are calling it a season Abe and the Trotters head for Mexico. The past two years the club drew exceedingly well and will return this year ODT permitting. Saperstein is just about a kingpin down in old Mexico. They think down there that he must be Mr. Basketball of the U.S.A.

Just to keep his head in the fire all year around Abraham fools around with football. It is nothing for a promoter in Omaha, Nebraska to call Abe up for a game in the fall. Abe has recruited Chicago Bears to play some of these exhibitions under his colors. Occasionally he takes a flyer in the fight game, if he finds a likely prospect he fools around with him until he tires then turns him over to a friend. Fight managing is too trivial to occupy Abe for a lengthy period of time.

Yes sir, when it comes to promoting give me a little Abe Saperstein, the boy who will travel the length of the country to make an honest dollar. If its long distances and nobody else will undertake it Abe Saperstein is your man. He doesn't book Bar Mitzvahs but if you have a classy wedding in mind Abe might be your man, too.

### Lodge Members Guests 3 on St. Louis U. Quintet are Jewish

**Special**  
PORTLAND, Ore.—Five members of Portland Lodge 65, B'nai B'rith, were luncheon guests of Lt. Charles C. Ferris aboard the Portland-built LCS (L) 101 before its departure for the Pacific war theater in appreciation of the lodge's gift to recreational facilities for the ship's crew.

### 3 Giants in Service, 2 on Squad Jewish

**Special**  
NEW YORK, N. Y.—The New York Giants baseball club has three players of Jewish faith serving Uncle Sam. They are Sgt. Harry Danning, Army Ferry Command, Long Beach, Calif.; Pfc. Morris Arnovich, APO 7795, c/o PM San Francisco, Calif., and Sidney Gordon, U. S. Coast Guard Station, Curtis Bay, Maryland.

The Giants have two Jewish players on their present roster, Phil Weintraub, a first baseman, and Harry Feldman, a pitcher.

## SPORTS

By LOU BERLINER

The American League service list includes two players of Jewish faith: Capt. Henry (Hank) Greenberg and Sgt. Harry Elsenstat, of Detroit and Cleveland clubs, respectively.

When asked if he played baseball while in service, Sgt. Andy Cohen, veteran campaigner, said he not only had no time to

play, but not even to see a game in the service league that was organized in Rome, Naples and other Italian cities.

Sgt. Babe Paul, former traveling secretary for the Cincinnati Reds, is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla. He was recently promoted from a corporal.

Jake Atz, one of the Texas League's most colorful characters during his managerial days, is ailing these days and was recently discharged from a hospital in New Orleans. He formerly managed Fort Worth.

Baseball Comedian Al Schacht recently underwent an operation to remedy an ailment which had caused him to lose part of his hearing. His hearing is now improved, he reports. Schacht, now operates a New York restaurant, and is displaying a polished wristband made from metal of a Jap Zero. The gift was presented to him on his recent journey to entertain servicemen in the Southwest Pacific.

"Cincy" Sachs, veteran Detroit sportsman, is manager and coach of the Mansfield basketball in Detroit, Mich. Sachs has been connected with numerous professional cage squads.

Sgt. Sam Lieberman, former star of Lawrence Tech, was recently back in Detroit for a three week's furlough and took advantage of that time to play a game with the Mansfield pro quintet. The lanky Lieberman, who stands 6 feet 7½ inches tall, rang up 20 points as the Mansfield five turned back Selfridge Flyers, 53-39.

### Star Major Leagues Sought, Claims Award

**Special**  
COLUMBUS, O.—Zion Lodge members attending the eighth annual Father-Son Sports Night program here recently were given an added feature in the appearance of Herb Pollock, 17 year old Navy trainee. Selected as the winner of the Zion Lodge Athletic award, Pollock's trophy was to be presented to his father at the program. But two hours before the presentation, Pollock surprised his parents by dropping in on them. The promising athlete, who starred for Bexley High school, was offered several major league contracts following his appearance in the All-American Boys game in New York last summer.

### Our Film Folks of HOLLYWOOD

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By LEON GUTTERMAN

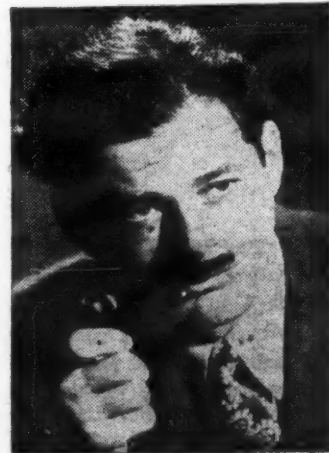
HOLLYWOOD—A meeting of film representatives of Soviet Russia, Great Britain, and OWI and State Department for the United States will be held here shortly to work out operating procedure for the Big Three's film occupation of Germany. It is expected that United States, Great Britain and Russia will exchange films to be shown in the three zones of occupation. In preparation for the invasion of Germany the OWI Overseas Film Service has stockpiled in London prints of 20 Hollywood features, all subtitled in German, in addition to many documentaries which have been dubbed in German.

Kate Smith and Norman Corwin have received merit awards of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, issued annually in connection with National Brotherhood week. Kate received the honor "because her radio programs throughout the year 1944 embodied the message of understanding and good will among all Americans." Norman's award, for "the single outstanding broadcast of 1944," was based on the production of his brilliant "Untitled" over CBS.

This week, I brought a friend of mine, recently returned from active duty overseas, to Lana Turner's sumptuous home. While

Peter Lorre, that horror (!) man, interrupted a rehearsal of an horrific scene for his new film at Warner Bros., to reveal to me that he was "just a natural born comedian!"

He asserts that during his early essays at the drama in Vienna, Zurich and adjacent



NORMAN CORWIN

one night stands, he specialized in comic roles. Not only that, but, he was always getting fired for trying to make serious roles into something funny.

Warner officials, however, declared that it will be a cold day in July on the Sahara when they assign Peter to slapstick. He is horrically too profitable.

At the moment, Eddie Cantor is womanless. Eddie tells me that not only are his famous daughters missing, but Ida's gone, too! Mrs. Cantor and daughters Janet and Natalia left over the week-end for Manhattan to visit with daughter Marjorie and Marilyn. And daughter Edna is living with husband Jimmy McHugh Jr.

Ten years ago in New York George Raft managed a young boxer named Aaron Siegel. George finally told Aaron he'd never make a fighter and dropped him from his stable. The other day Aaron visited George on the set at RKO studios. Aaron is now Captain Siegel, AAF, holder of the D.F.C., Purple Heart, Presidential Citation, Air Medal, seven Oak Leaf Clusters and is a member of the Caterpillar Club and of the Boot. He was a navigator of a Flying Fortress brought down over Greece. His jaw shot away by flak, he parachuted into enemy country, breaking both knees in the jump. For three months guerillas nursed him back to health. Now, George Raft tells me, he is having a screen story written around Siegel's exploits and probably will have the flier playing himself in the picture!

BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS



## Council Sabbath To Be Held Tonight At Terre Haute Temple

**SPECIAL** TERRE HAUTE—Council Sabbath will be observed at 7:45 p. m. tonight at Temple Israel. Mrs. Maler M. Levin will give the blessing of the candles.

Mrs. Carl Wolf will read the scripture and the president of the Terre Haute section of the Council of Jewish Women, Mrs. David Cahn, will give the address. Rabbi Leonard J. Mervis will read the service. A reception and social hour will follow.

**Zionist Broadcast Tonight**—The Zionist Organization presents Arnold Moss in "The Voice in the Wilderness" at 6:45 tonight, Mar. 9, over radio station WBOW. This is the tenth in the series of "Palestine Speaks."

**Temple Auxiliary to Meet Monday**—The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary will be held at 2:30 p. m. Monday in the hall of Temple B'nai Abraham. Mrs. Harry Simon will preside and a social hour will follow.

**Mervis Conducts Services for Prisoners**—Rabbi Leonard J. Mervis conducts services at 5:30 p. m. every Saturday at the United States penitentiary of Terre Haute. Rabbi Mervis has been accepted as a member of the Ministerial Association of Terre Haute.

**Servicemen to Dine at Country Club**—The Army and Navy Committee of the Jewish Welfare Fund of Terre Haute will serve a buffet supper at the Phoenix Country Club at 6 p. m. Sunday, March 18. Mesdames Stanley Dreyfus and Lillian Duenweg are in charge.

**Chandler-Lewin Marriage Announced**—Announcement is made of the approaching marriage, March 18, of Joan Chandler to Nathan Lewin.

**In the Service**—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Berkowitz received word from their son, Capt. Sidney Berkowitz, that he is in the Hawaiian Islands and leaves soon for his assignment in the South Pacific area. His wife and small son are making their home with his parents for the duration. While on the Hawaiian Islands he spent some time with his cousin, Pfc. Adolf Kerber, who is in the theatrical field under Maj. Maurice Evans. Pfc. Kerber has been in service almost four years and has been on the Islands since Pearl Harbor and Capt. Berkowitz is the first person from home he has seen. Pfc. Kerber entertained his cousin by taking him to the Doris Duke Cromwell estate, the show place of the Islands, where only officers of the rank of Majors or higher are admitted. But Chaplain Berkowitz reported Adolf goes and is well liked by all the men. Adolf is also the nephew of Mrs. Bernard W. Roth. Mrs. Sidney Berkowitz has heard recently from her two brothers. The older one, Capt. Ronald Anderson, is with the English Royal Air Force and is now stationed in India. He has been in service six years. The younger brother, Godfrey Anderson, has been in the Royal Navy two years and was in the invasion on D-day. Chaplain Sidney Berkowitz also mentioned having met Lieutenant Harold Katz of the Navy, in the Hawaiian Islands. Lieutenant Katz's family formerly lived here. His parents are Reverend and Mrs. Eli Katz. Lt. David Becker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Becker, arrived in the States Sunday, March 4, and is in Terre Haute today. He is a first pilot of a B-24 and has just completed 47 mission, 425 combat hours and 100 points in the Southwest Pacific area. He has been in service three years and overseas the last 14 months. Lieutenant Becker is the fiancée of Miss Beatrice Simon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Simon. They plan to marry Sunday, March 18, while Lt. Becker is home on leave.

## State in Review

ANDERSON Harry Goldberg	GARY Mrs. Robert Berg	MARION Mrs. Jason Klain
EAST CHICAGO INDIANA HARBOR Ruth Gray	HAMMOND Mrs. Jacob Bergman	MUNCIE Mrs. Archie Lapin
EVANSVILLE Mrs. Louis Marks	KOKOMO Jack L. Dennis	SOUTH BEND MISHAWAKA Mrs. Joseph Tomber
FORT WAYNE Mrs. Harry E. Landy	LAFAYETTE Mrs. Aaron Gorbaty	TERRE HAUTE Mrs. Bernard W. Roth

### Lafayette Hadassah to See Movie Wednesday

**SPECIAL** LAFAYETTE—A movie, "Out of Darkness," will be shown at the meeting of Lafayette Hadassah to be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday at Sons of Abraham vestry rooms. Mrs. Herman Zaneck is program chairman.

**Zionists to Meet Wednesday**—A meeting of the Lafayette Zionist organization will be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday at Sons of Abraham synagogue.

**Notes**—Pfc. Harold Winski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Winski has been awarded the good conduct medal. He entered the army two years ago. Dr. and Mrs. I. Silverberg and daughter Helen have moved to Rochester, N. Y., where Dr. Silverberg is employed as a chemist.

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**Notes**—Terre Hauteans who spent last week in New York include Mrs. Saul Susman, Ed Smith and Mitchell Thomas. Mrs. Harry Katz is spending the week in Chicago. Mrs. Bess Berkowitz of Indianapolis, formerly of Terre Haute, spent the week with friends in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lebowitz of Youngstown, Ohio, spent the week-end with Mr. Lebowitz's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lebowitz. Rabbi and Mrs. Leonard J. Mervis had as their guests last week-end Mrs. Mervis's mother, Mrs. Besse Bloom of Detroit, her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Epstein of Cincinnati, and Chaplain and Mrs. Joseph Levenson of Scotts Field, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Al Maeschke of Indianapolis attended the installation services at Temple Israel last Friday evening. Mrs. David Gottlieb has returned from a ten-day visit in Boston with friends. While there she saw her husband, Lt. (j.g.) Gottlieb, who is with the U. S. Navy. Mrs. J. Zeldes is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Cahn. Mrs. Marvin Marks of Toledo is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Felstein. Her husband, Sgt. Marks, is in Italy. Mrs. Arthur Kling (nee Elizabeth Woolf) is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Thomas. Mrs. Nina Klein is spending six weeks in New York visiting her son, Ens. Howard Klein and family. Miss Edna Ruth Schultz is visiting in New York. Mrs. Samuel Shaffer returned from a visit with her son, Pvt. James Shaffer, at

### Pfc. Kraus, Pvt. Smith Injured, Families Learn

**SPECIAL** HAMMOND—Pfc. Herbert Kraus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kraus, Calumet City, has been wounded in the line of duty in the Philippines. Details have not yet been received by the Kraus family, because wounds affecting his right hand and arm made writing impossible. A companion, writing at Pfc. Kraus' instructions, informed the parents of the mishap.

Pfc. Kraus, 23, was inducted in November 1942 and was in this country only three weeks before being shipped overseas. He received his basic training in the Hawaiian islands.

Pvt. Norman Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith, who is overseas was "seriously wounded," according to a telegram received by his parents.

**In the Service**—Leonard Abrahamson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Abrahamson, Highland St., Hammond, was home for the week end from Sampson, New York, where Leonard is taking training in a storekeeper school. PH. M. 2/c Jack Blumenfeld was home for a few days visiting his wife, Devora, from Farragut, Idaho, where he expects to be transferred to a hos-

Fort Riley, Kas. Mrs. Abe Kaufman is spending the week in Louisville. Dr. and Mrs. Harry Binzer have purchased a farm south of Terre Haute near Prairietown and will move in a couple of months. Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Rubin are visiting Mrs. Rubin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shatsky. Dr. and Mrs. Charles Fisch and Dr. William Schechter of Indianapolis, and Dr. Stanley Hoffman of St. Louis were all guests last week-end of Dr. Hoffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hoffman. Mrs. Sam Hartman and brother, Jake Matz of Chicago, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. David Hoffman. Mrs. A. N. Levin and Mrs. J. Bertram Hirsch are members of the planning committee for the annual charity ball of St. Anthony's Hospital. Mrs. David Silverstein has been named a candidate by the nominating committee of the Woman's Department Club for election to office Wednesday. Mr. Benjamin Blumberg has been made vice president of the Terre Haute Smoke Abatement League. Mrs. Carl Wolf is one of the board of directors. Morris Blumberg was second vice-president of the Terre Haute Community Chest at the annual election held last week.

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## HUSBAND REPORTED MISSING, WIFE READS OF HIS 35TH MISSION IN ITALY

**SPECIAL** FORT WAYNE—Mrs. Sally Soloff, who has been notified by the War Department that her husband, S/Sgt. Milton H. Soloff, chief radio gunner on a Liberator Bomber, operating out of

Italy, has been missing since Nov. 15, was startled to read in a Fort Wayne newspaper last week that her husband had completed his 35th mission over central Europe. The story was a War Department press release. In the last letter Mrs. Soloff received from her husband, which was dated Nov. 11, he told of eight missions completed and mentioned pending single sortie missions. Mrs. Soloff several weeks ago received word that her husbands effects would be shipped to her soon.

**Notes**—Mr. Sidney Malitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Malitz, New York City, was the week end guest of Miss Lucille Dvorsay, and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Max A. Dvorsay, Madison avenue. Paul Edelstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Edelstein, left for the Navy last week. Miss Florence Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lynn, who is attending Illinois University, sent word home to her folks that she has a straight "A" record for her sophomore year. Miss Marilyn Kraus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kraus, was home from her studies at Indiana U. for the week end. Miss Doris Kaplan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kaplan, will be home on March 15 for several days from her studies at Indiana University. A guest for two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kaplan, and daughter, Thelma, was Miss Kaplan's fiancée, Pfc. Wilson Gittleman, son of Rabbi and Mrs. J. J. Gittleman, Louisville, Ky. Pfc. Gittleman is a senior at Louisville medical school and will graduate in June. The Peretz Hirschbein Reading Club held a Purim party at their club rooms at Libley Street, recently. Jimmy Schroeter, son of Mr. Robert Schroeter, is now attending Purdue University. He enrolled as a freshman in the school of Engineering Law.

Miss Clarice Finkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Finkle, also left to enroll as a freshman at Purdue University. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sosin's son, Teddy, has been ill with the "flu" for the past few days. The baby's father, Bernie, who is in the Coast Guards, is now in this country in California for the present. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Miller and infant daughter, Joni Eileen, are here to live permanently. Mrs. Miller is the former Ila Jayne Cohen, granddaughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. I. L. Cohen, Hammond. They formerly lived in Texas. Miss Bea Dobson has fully recuperated from her siege of pneumonia.

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2802-A, 1.  
Application of J. G. Dobson, d/b/a Dobson Cartage and Storage Company, Bay City, Michigan, for a certificate of authority to operate motor vehicles as a common carrier of property, interstate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.  
Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind., 9:00 A. M., Tuesday, April 10, 1945.  
Public participation is requested.  
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By James D. Collins, Director  
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## TWO ORTHODOX CONGREGATIONS PLAN TO UNITE, BUILD NEW SYNAGOGUES

**SOUTH BEND**—At a joint executive meeting of the Congregation Sons of Israel and the Hebrew Orthodox Synagogue, held Thursday evening in the home of Rabbi Aaron M. Rine, plans for the merging of the two congregations, were formulated.

The plans include the erection of a new building after the war. Maurice N. Frank and Mandel Feingold were elected co-chairmen of the project. Harry Rosenberg will serve as secretary and Theodore Goodman and Joseph Rosenbaum will head the finance committee. Others on the committee are Max Cohen, Ben Feldman, Phillip Frank, Samuel From, Morris Gertz, David Hurwich and Jack Purely.

**Red Cross, Passover Meeting Subjects**—The Hebrew Orthodox Sisterhood will meet at 2:30 p. m. Sunday in the Hebrew Institute. A Red Cross movie will be shown and Maurice N. Frank will speak on the phases of the Red Cross drive. Rabbi Aaron M. Rine will be present and will answer questions concerning the Passover holiday and rituals. Mrs. Isadore Tolchinsky will preside and Mrs.

Nathan Shapiro will be the hostess at the meeting.

**Linen Shower Successful**—At the annual Hadassah linen shower held recently, a large supply of linen of all kinds was taken in, and approximately \$100 in donations. Mrs. Abe Price and Mrs. Nathan Sutlin were co-chairmen and Mrs. Julius Tishcoff and Mrs. Rueben Abrams were co-chairmen of the tea table. Mrs. Kurt Simon, Mrs. David Moss, Mrs. Harold Medow and Mrs. Charles Feig took part on the program. New members are the Mesdames Frank Sherman, Ray Firestein and Marvin Krueger.

**A.Z.A. Meeting Sunday**—An A.Z.A. meeting will be held at Temple Beth El Sunday to complete plans for attending a tournament in Gary March 17 and 18. Those planning to attend are Irwin Karlin, Gary Aretz, Marvin Borr, Ted Minkow, Jerry Pryweller, Marvin Solomon, Al Farber, Paul Goldberg, Hal Davis, Don Simon, Harold Berebitsky, Alan Marshall, and Melvyn Tomber.

**Lodge Meeting Wednesday**—Louis Sandock lodge, B'nai B'rith will meet at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday in the Hebrew Institute. Isadore Rosenfeld will preside.

**Youth Canteen Planned**—On Saturday evening, March 24, the second of a series of Jewish Youth Recreation Canteen will be held in the Sinai Vestry rooms, and will be jointly sponsored by the A.Z.A. and Sinai Youth Group.

**Pioneer Women Card Party Sunday**—The Pioneer Women's organization will sponsor a card party at 7:30 p. m. Sunday in the Hebrew Institute. The community is invited. Mrs. Sam Zonnenberg is chairman of the card party and Mrs. Harry Shatz is co-chairman.

**In the Service**—Capt. Jacob Halperin was home on a furlough from overseas visiting his mother Mrs. Miriam Halperin and other relatives. Capt. Halperin was in the invasion of Leyte in the Philippines, and administered to the wounded. He was in the medical corps at a collecting station established on Leyte. . . . Capt. Louis F. Sandock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Sandock was transferred from the station hospital at DeRidder, La., to Station Hospital Stuttgart A.A.B., Ark. Capt. Sandock is in the medical corps. His wife and son are with him. . . . Lt. Morris Aronson has arrived safely somewhere in Italy, according to word received by his wife Sally. He has a brother Pfc. Eli Aronson stationed in Paris, France. Another brother Cpl. Jake Aronson is stationed somewhere in New Guinea. . . . S/C Arthur Weiss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Weiss was home on a three day leave from Brooklyn, Maryland.

**Synagogue Notes**—A new Synagogue Roll of Honor will be dedicated at services at 8:30 tonight at Sinai Synagogue. Sgt. Sherwood Slate, of Bendix Field, will read the services and Rabbi Maurice Parzen will dedicate the honor roll and speak on "The Meaning of this War." . . . Shirle Kasle will lead a round-table discussion following services at 8

p. m. tonight at the Temple Beth El. . . . The Mothers' Study Group will hear a review of "Forever Amber" by Mrs. Sam Baskind at a meeting at 1:30 p. m. Monday. . . . Rabbi Stephen Sherman will speak on "Jewish Religion" before the Youth Group of the First Methodist Church of South Bend.

**Notes**—Mrs. Ben Leviton was among recently graduating Gray Ladies of the St. Joseph County Red Cross. . . . Mrs. Seymour Weiss of Louisville is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Weiss. . . . Lillian Weiss celebrated her 16th birthday with a skating party followed by dancing and refreshments at her home. Guests present were Gloria Resnick, Leah Coffman, Betty Stein, Renada Hess, Sara Fischer, Marjorie Weiss, Nettie Orlein, Bernice Cohen, Herbert Weiss, Jene Rubin, Al Farber, Al Zuroff, Donald Shavel, Gary Aretz, Fred Gebler, Harold Davis, Jerry Pryweller, Richard Leviton and Leslie Leviton. . . . Mrs. David Germain has gone to Waterloo, Ia., to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Germain and her new granddaughter, Penny Tina. She will remain for a week. . . . Al Farber, Marvin Borr and Marvin Solomon were in Gary over the week-end to attend a dance. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fefferman returned from a 10-week stay at Miami Beach. While there they were joined by their daughter and son-in-law. . . . Marvin Ain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ain, Brooklyn, N. Y., will enter Notre Dame this semester. His mother is the former Ruby Tomber of South Bend. . . . Mrs. David Germain entertained at a dessert bridge at her home Tuesday. Guest were the Mesdames Charles Swedarsky, Phillip Frank, Alex Minkow, Louis Reisman, Jacob Solomon, Morris Gendle and Anna Shankerman. . . . Mrs. Sam Slutsky of Chicago is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sutlin. . . . Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mooren that their daughter, Betty Lee, a student at Northwestern University, has been elected to Zeta Phi Eta, national speech sorority, on the basis of grades and activities. She recently won first place in an inter-collegiate debate conference in which there were 77 participants. . . . Melvyn Tomber is chairman of the new freshman orientation program for students entering Notre Dame University for the spring semester. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mirkin entertained Sunday afternoon and evening. . . . Guests from out of town included Mr. and Mrs. B. Rosen and Mrs. Morris Aronson and daughter, Ilka Jane, of Elkhart. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tomber and Myer and Sam Mirkin of South Bend were also present. . . . Rabbi and Mrs. Aaron M. Rine attended the Hapoel Hamizrachi drive Sunday in Chicago. . . . Sam Rossin, who has been ill in Florida, is improving. Mrs. Rossin is with him. . . . Mr. Louis Fischer visited in New York for two weeks, with his daughter and son-in-law Rabbi and Mrs. Hyman Cohen and children. . . . Mrs. Ben Plotkin returned to her home, after visiting her children in Indianapolis. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Irving Minkow have returned from their honeymoon in Miami Beach. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Gene Miller of Palms Springs, Calif., are the guests of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Gaibe.

## FORT WAYNE HADASSAH PLANS ANNUAL DONOR LUNCHEON APRIL 17

**SPECIAL** FORT WAYNE—Plans for the annual Donor Luncheon held by Fort Wayne Hadassah were announced this week by Mrs. Joseph Rosenthal, general chairman, and Miss Minette Baum, program chairman. Dr. Alfred Jospe, director of Hillel Foundation at Indiana University will speak.

Mrs. Dave Fishman is in charge of Donor pledges, and Mrs. Max Schimmel is in charge of reservations.

**Baer Field Services Arranged**—Rabbi Frederic A. Doppelt will conduct services at Baer Field, Fort Wayne, at least once a month through arrangements made by Chaplain Abraham Ruderman of the Army Air Force. A Purim Service was conducted last Friday, with Col. and Mrs. W. J. Platka and Mrs. Archie Cohen in charge of the reception following. Rabbi Doppelt and Rabbi Irving A. Weingart visit the Baer Field Hospital at least once a week.

**Men's Club to See War Films**—A group of war films furnished by courtesy of C. A. Vawbee will be shown Tuesday at a meeting of the B'nai Jacob Men's Club. Dave Block is in charge of entertainment. A group of folk songs will be presented by the club's Choral Society. Refreshments and a social hour will follow.

**In the Service**—Pvt. James B. Field, son of Mrs. Abe Field, has arrived in France with the 7th Army. He attended Harvard University before his induction in August, and received his basic training at Ft. McClellan, Ala. . . . Cpl. Ray H. Cohen has received a Certificate of Merit in recognition of conspicuously meritorious and outstanding performances of military duty. His courage and devotion to duty while subjected to enemy shell fire materially aided artillery support. He is the son of Mrs. Jennie Cohen and husband of Mrs. Helen Cohen. He has been overseas since August. . . . Cadet Rose Ochstein and Ph. M. 3/c Harry Ochstein, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ochstein, were home recently at the same time. Cadet Ochstein is stationed at the Jewish Hospital in Louisville, and Ph. M. Ochstein is on sea duty on the east coast.

**Notes**—Marvin Komisarow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Komisarow, was one of 12 Fort Wayne students at Indiana University who were on the scholastic honor roll for the first semester. . . . Mrs. Charles Friedman of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Schlechter. She is returning home after a visit in Los Angeles. . . . Mrs. Irving A. Weingart, advisor to Junior Hadassah, was hostess to a Junior Hadassah meeting at her home last week, when Rabbi Weingart reviewed Ben Hecht's "Guide to the Be-deviled." The next meeting will feature Jewish music at the home of Miss Rosalyn Zinn. . . . Miss Alene Loeser, a student at the University of Michigan, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Hubert Loeser. . . . Dr. and Mrs. N. L. Salom visited their son, Pvt. Joel W. Salom, a medical student at the University of Michigan, last week-end. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Pollak have returned from an extended vacation in Florida. Their daughter, Betty,

of Chicago, will visit her parents this week-end. . . . Rabbi Frederic A. Doppelt will address the Plymouth Congregational Church today at luncheon on the topic "The Contribution of Judaism to Christianity."

## Donor Luncheon To Be Held Tuesday

**SPECIAL** CHICAGO—The Chicago Hadassah Donor Luncheon will be held Tuesday at Lunchglen's. Chairmen for the affair are the Mesdames Lloyd Cohen and Harry Kaufman. Members who have earned \$5.00 or more during the year for Hadassah will be honored.

**Purim Dinner Held**—A Purim dinner was given by the Men's Club Tuesday night at the B'nai Shalom Synagogue. Chairman of the affair was Jack Giveli and speakers were Rabbi Simon from Roseland and Rabbi Eli Kahn of B'nai Israel Synagogue, Indiana Harbor. Mrs. Jacob Wilson and Mrs. Anna Giveli were present with gifts in appreciation for their help in affairs given during the past year.

**Card Party Wednesday**—The Beth Shalom Sisterhood will give the monthly card party Wednesday, March 14. Chairman for the affair will be Mrs. A. Weinstein, assisted by the Mesdames Barney Yedwab, Ann Yaffee, Rae Goldstein, Aaron Warsaw and Allen Ludin.

**Adults Study Hebrew**—Adult classes have been formed in Hebrew and Mishnah at B'nai Israel Synagogue. Classes are held from 8 to 9 p. m. and from 9 to 10 p. m. each Thursday.

**Notes**—Pfc. Irving Schoenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schoenberg, writes that he is now stationed at a large air base in eastern India. He is with a supply squadron trained at Keesler and Kelley Fields. He has been in service since January, 1944, and left the states in December. . . . Mrs. Netty Goldberg was in charge of the card party held at the B'nai Israel. The purpose of the card party was to raise funds for the donor luncheon to be held by the Senior Hadassah at Lunchglen's. . . . Leon Goldberg, Lloyd Blumenthal and Jerry Sternberg were recently graduated from Washington High School. . . . Mrs. Philip C. Paulette Weinstein has fully recovered from her tonsillectomy. . . . Under the direction of Mrs. Eli Kahn, Hadassah offers to members and friends a course in "Customs and Ceremonies." The class will meet on the first and third Tuesday of every month.

## Chicago Family Visits In Marion Last Week

**SPECIAL** MARION—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Katz and daughter Susan, Chicago, spent the week with Mr. Lawrence Klain. Mrs. Katz and Susanne will stay in two weeks. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gelb and son Gary, visited Dr. and Mrs. Sam Weingart last week. . . . Dr. and Mrs. Leo Diamond and son Bernard spent Sunday in Indianapolis visiting Captain and Mrs. Ganz at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bolotin.

**600 Attend Purim Carnival**—Approximately 600 people attended the first annual Community Purim Carnival held Sunday at Kirshbaum Center of the Jewish Youth Council. The Deb-Ette Club was awarded prize for the best booth. All proceeds will be given to the Cross.

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## Lt. Norman Shane Wounded In Action In Philippines Feb. 14

**Special**  
EVANSVILLE — Lt. Norman Shane Jr. was wounded in action Feb. 14, receiving scalp and face injuries, while serving in the Philippine area. For the past year, Lt. Shane has been head gunnery officer on ship attached to Admiral Kinkaid's 7th Fleet. His crew received several bronze stars after the Marus Islands raid in August, 1943, for major combat engagements.



LT. SHANE

Lt. Shane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shane, was commissioned in May, 1942, graduating from Purdue university in the engineering school. He trained as Naval Reserve at Notre Dame university and navy yards in Washington, D. C.

A younger brother, Ensign Sidney Shane, has just been commissioned, and reported for destroyer training in San Diego. Their father, Norman Sr., wears the Purple Heart as a veteran of World War I.

**Notes**—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hirschheimer are spending a few weeks in New York City. . . . Mr. Herman Straus has returned from Cincinnati where he underwent an operation, accompanied by Mrs. Straus and their daughter, Mary Harding. . . . Miss Marjorie Kahn has returned from a three-week visit in New York City.

Mr. Jake Hoffman spent the week-end in St. Louis. . . . Mrs. Jesse Rosenbaum has returned from a visit to Cleveland where her daughter, Elsie, is working as a technician at Crile General Hospital. . . . Among the out-of-town guests who attended the wedding of Miss Judith Grusin and Lt. Paul Sidney Cawn Sunday at Hotel McCurdy were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Siskin of Chattanooga, Miss Ida Demenstein, New Orleans; Br. Ben Grusin, of Sipsin, Ala.; Mrs. Anna Grusin and Mrs. Anna Priankos, of Jasper, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Witt, of Miami Beach; Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Witt, of Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. Mrs. Philip Chivian, of St. Louis; Mr. Leon Klowpus, of Dyersburg, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cawn, Benjamin and Helen Cawn and Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Hopner of Barbourville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. L. Menembloom, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tepper, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Weinstein and Sgt. Milton Feinstein, of Corydon, Ky.; Dr. and Mrs. G. Feinstein of Cumberland, Ky., and Mrs. L. Linderman and Suzanne Cohen, of Indianapolis.

A group of sorority sisters from Indiana University who attended were the Misses Joan Jackson, Natalie Isaacson, June Gole, Helene Cristil, Rae Folf, Betty Velleman, Betty Jo Sherman, Ruth Rosinsky and Norma Friedman. . . . Mrs. William Ehrlich and her daughter, Mrs. Richard Amuels, have returned from a visit to New York City. . . . Mrs. Al Koch has been elected to the board of the Interracial Commission. . . . Mrs. Meyer Siegel and Mrs. Louis Marks have accepted the invitation to become members of the Snawick Club and were introduced to the body by Mrs. Bernard Kluga at their monthly

## Mishawaka Woman Ill in Chicago

**Special**  
MISHAWAKA—Mrs. Sol Wolvos is ill in Billings Hospital in Chicago. . . . Meyer Piser, a district commissioner, served as chairman at the Mishawaka Boy Scout court of honor. . . . Mrs. Ethel From and granddaughter, Marlene, spent a day in Chicago. . . . Sgt. Al Wolvos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Wolvos, was transferred from the Netherlands East Indies to the Philippines. He is in the medical corps. . . . Mrs. Clarence Dlouhy and Mrs. Max Sandor and children, Marlene and Harvey, of Chicago, visited Mrs. Sam Sandor and family over the week end.

## Nerenbergs Visit In Cincinnati

**Special**  
KOKOMO—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nerenberg recently spent a few days in Cincinnati. . . . Mr. J. S. Levi was released from the St. Joseph Hospital. . . . S 1/c Irv Weinberg, stationed at Great Lakes, was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. A. Anspach. . . . Don Anspach has returned after a few weeks at Battle Creek and Lansing, Mich. . . . Mrs. A. Anspach spent several weeks in Dayton, visiting family and friends. . . . Mrs. Dorfmeister of New York is visiting the Gevirtz families. Mrs. Palmer Gevirtz and Mrs. A. Gevirtz have gone to Chicago. . . . Mr. and Mrs. N. Beller of Chicago were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dennis. . . . Lt. Herman Vaprin is spending a 15-day leave with his family.

luncheon meeting at the Vendome Hotel. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Baldauf and their daughter Jane attended the graduation exercises of their daughter Ruth, from Purdue University recently. Miss Baldauf received her B.S. degree in bacteriology. Among her many campus activities were her membership on the school's religious council, radio staff, assistant in biology department and chairman of the university's War Fund Drive this past year. . . . Mrs. Leopold Sachs and Mrs. Louis Marks are serving as majors in the 1945 Red Cross Fund Drive, and those working as captains are Mesdames Hubert de Jong, Isidor Skora, Harry Rosen, Julian Weill, Morris Gippin and Miss Marjorie Rosenblum. Fifty ladies of the Washington Ave. Temple, Adath Israel and B'nai Moshe Synagogues, are serving on the solicitation teams. . . . Mrs. Irving Opie and Mrs. Joseph Gorfinkle were recently elected telephone and publicity chairmen, respectively, of the Grey Ladies Corps of the Evansville Red Cross.

## BUY WAR BONDS

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2804-A, 1.  
Application of Harvey W. Morris, Paris, Illinois, for a certificate of authority to operate motor vehicles as a common carrier of property, interstate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.  
Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind. 9:00 A. M., Wednesday, April 11, 1945. Public participation is requested.  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF INDIANA**  
By James D. Collins, Director  
Motor Vehicle Department  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 2, 1945.

## Chayele Gruber To Be Presented In Gary Concert

**Special**  
GARY—Chayele Gruber, concert singer, and Victor Packer, dramatic artist, will be presented in a program by the Jewish National Workers' Alliance at 8 p. m. Wednesday at the Emerson School auditorium. Miss Gruber was formerly a member of the famous Habimah, a Hebrew Actor's group, organized in Russia, but gaining fame and recognition in Palestine. She will present a repertoire of Jewish and Hebrew songs with which she has sung herself into the hearts of the Eastern Jewish audiences. Tickets will be \$1.10 and proceeds will be divided between the Jewish National Fund and Red Cross. Morris Tropp is chairman of the project.

**Present Program in Chicago**—As a direct result of the Hadassah Midwest Regional Conference held in Gary last December, four members of the Gary chapter were invited to Chicago to present the same program at an Educational Seminar with National Chairman of Education, Mrs. Israel Efros, as guest and advisor. Three books were reviewed by the Gary women, with Mrs. Benjamin Saks, former Gary Education Chairman serving as moderator. Book reviews were presented by Mrs. Robert Berg, Mrs. Louis Deutsch and Mrs. Morey Gross.

**Notes**—Pvt. Merle Sharpe and his wife, the former Dorothy Lakin and their little girl spent a few days leave in Gary and Kentland last week. Pvt. Sharpe has a "special-skills" rating in charge of research at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md. Mrs. Sharpe and their daughter are making their home in Baltimore. . . . Mrs. Bernard Baruch and children have returned from a visit to Los Angeles, where they were the guests of the Charles Lakins, Gary pioneers, and other relatives and friends. . . . Mrs. Sidney Izaak, the former Mildred Lasser has had word that her husband, Cpl. Sidney Izaak, is now teaching athletics in the University of Paris in connection with the new athletic program of rehabilitation adopted by the army. He was injured Oct. 15 when he stepped on a German mine, but has recovered. He writes that his former Indiana Pilam fraternity brother, Bob Weiss, of Hammond, is stationed nearby and they get to see each other frequently. Both enlisted in the reserves at the same time. . . . Mrs. Hy Berkovitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosen, spent a two weeks' vacation with her parents. Mrs. Berkovitz, formerly Evelyn Rosen was Gary's Young Judaea sponsor for a time. In her home at Grand Rapids, Mich., she performs the same service. . . . Miss Doris Berg will spend this week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berg. She will attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Lila Rosenbloom to Mr. Albert Meyers. . . . Mrs. I. M. Cohen reviewed the book, "People On Our Side," by Edgar Snow, last Saturday at the Hadassah Oneg Shabbat at the home of Mrs. Henry Simons. . .

Friends of Pfc. Bernard Weiner will be happy to know that he is improving from injuries received in Belgium. He was suffering with trench foot, and is now convalescing in a hospital in France. His twin brother, Pvt. Marvin Weiner, has been transferred to Ft. Sill, Okla. . . . Miss Deloros Kos is the new president of Gary Junior Hadassah. She succeeds Miss Lila Rosenbloom who resigned her office because of her approaching marriage. . . . Instead of spending her two-week between semester vacation at home, Miss Annette Chaikin, a student at the University of Michigan, divided her time between friends and relatives in Pittsburgh and New York. Miss Chaikin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Chaikin. . . . Mrs. I. M. Cohen and Mrs. Morey Gross have appeared before various groups recently for the League of Women Voters, speaking on the Dumbarton Oaks plan. . . . Robert Moise, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moise, returned home from Purdue University after completing two years in the chemical engineering department. He left Tuesday for Great Lakes to begin his boot training, after having passed the Eddy test for radar. . . . Harrison Mellman, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Mellman spent a short vacation home between semesters from his studies at Harvard University. He has passed the Eddy test for radar but will be permitted to complete the year's work at Harvard. . . . Howard Edelson, son of Mrs. J. Edelson, began his studies at Purdue University last week. He was graduated from Emerson School last June. . . . Sgt. Jerry H. Rotenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rotenberg should add "Lucky" for his middle name. Sgt. Rotenberg was a member of the crew of the Flying Fortress, "Leading Lady," when three of her four engines conked out of the bomber. They had a dizzy spin earthward and over Germany at that. "We went into a spin, losing altitude at 3,000 feet a minute," said Lt. Samuel Goose, pilot, of Detroit. "Flying in soupy weather, I could scarcely see a wing of the plane. Suddenly I looked out and saw another plane swinging toward us. We dived to avoid collision. Then the engines started, one by one. The stricken plane managed to come back to base after losing formation. The crew is with the eighth air force."

To express the appreciation of American Jewish soldiers for the hospitality extended them by British Jews, specially carved plaques were presented during Purim services to the synagogues at Bristol and Cheltenham.

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 2803-A, 1.  
Joint application of Hammers, Pursey, Farmland, Indiana, seller, and Perry O. and Elizabeth K. Rhoades, Indianapolis, Indiana, purchaser, for the approval of the sale and transfer of certificate No. 313 CCH, intrastate.  
Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind. 9:00 A. M., Wednesday, April 11, 1945. Public participation is requested.  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF INDIANA**  
By James D. Collins, Director  
Motor Vehicle Department  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 2, 1945.

**LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
Public Service Commission of Indiana Docket No. 1765-B, 1.  
Application of Chas. R. Hirt, R. R. No. 3, Fremont, Ohio, for a permit to operate motor vehicles as a contract carrier of property, interstate, over highways in the State of Indiana, as more specifically set out in the application.  
Notice is hereby given that the Public Service Commission of Indiana will conduct public hearing in this cause in Rooms of the Commission, 401 State House, Indianapolis, Ind. 9:00 A. M., Tuesday, April 17, 1945. Public participation is requested.  
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## Chaplains In Factories, Labor Sabbaths, Plan Of Synagogue Council

**Special**  
NEW YORK—The formulation of specific projects in which religion and labor can cooperate was cited in the Interim Report of the Synagogue Council Committee on the Synagogue and Labor released today by Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein, President of the Council. The committee is composed of representatives of all the rabbinical and congregational organizations of American Jewry, with Commissioner William B. Herlands chairman and Rabbi Ahron Opher secretary.

### Joint Conference Planned

Admitting the existence of some tensions between labor and religion at times, the document, first to be issued by this committee of Orthodox, Conservative and Reform religious leaders, calls for a joint conference this spring in which the areas of disagreement can be explored by leaders of both fields.

The Interim Report discloses that among the immediate objectives of the committee are the following:

1. Civilian chaplains should be assigned to large factories to hold religious meetings and services at regular periods, such as has been practiced in England since 1941.
2. Labor and the synagogues should observe an annual "Labor Sabbath."
3. Synagogues should provide social, recreational and cultural, as well as religious, programs for the working man.
4. Organized labor should in-

clude in educational and social programs courses on and discussions of religion and should make increased use of religious leaders in arbitration matters.

### Meet With Church Leaders

The committee has held several meetings with labor leaders and has been in close touch with Catholic, Protestant religious and labor representatives for the purpose of not only going forward in its own program but also for a united church and synagogue movement to intensify the interests of the laboring classes in their respective faiths.

## Judge Rules Papers May Refuse Bias Ads

**Special**

ALBANY, N. Y.—Newspapers may turn down discriminatory advertising, Justice William H. Murray of the Supreme Court ruled here, in dismissing an action brought by Camp of the Pines, Inc., against The New York Times. Justice Murray held that the press had a right to edit or reject in good faith advertising copy submitted for publication.

## NAMING A CHILD

The prevalent custom among Jewish families today is that of naming the child after some relative who has passed away. Usually it is the nearest of kin after

whom the baby is named. The general tendency among Jewish families, is to see to it that every deceased person who is thought deserving has someone named after him as soon as is possible.

## 3 More States Ask For Jewish Commonwealth

**Special**

NEW YORK—The state legislatures of North Carolina, North Dakota and Wyoming this week adopted resolutions demanding the re-establishment of Palestine as a free, democratic Jewish Commonwealth. This brings the total of states which have passed such resolution to 25.

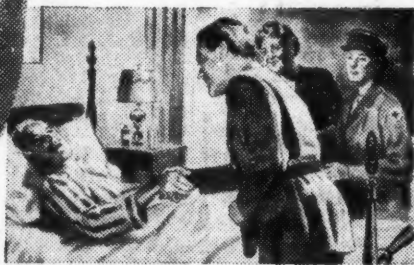
Representatives of over 70% of the American people have now expressed themselves in support of free immigration and colonization of Jews in Palestine, it is said.

The first Biblical names did not originate by this method at all. As a matter of fact practically all the names found in the Bible have no such derivation. The Biblical names seemed to have sprung up as descriptions of circumstances or existing conditions surrounding the birth or the environment of the person named. In the Talmudic period there arose the custom of calling one of the sons, usually the eldest, after the paternal grandfather. In the Post-Talmudic period this custom grew even more popular and the maternal grandfather as well as other kin were used in naming the children. At present this custom is widely practiced.



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## Ben Hecht Protests As Jabotinsky Jailed

**Jewish Telegraphic Agency**

JERUSALEM—Eri Jabotinsky, son of the late Revisionist leader, arrived at the Palestine border this week and was immediately arrested and transferred to the "Feru jail."

Mr. Jabotinsky, who had been in Turkey for several months as special representative of the Emergency Committee to Save the Jewish People of Europe, was deported last week by the Turkish authorities, following the refusal of the State Department to grant him a re-entry permit to the United States where his mother, wife and child reside. He is a Palestinian citizen.

(Ben Hecht, co-chairman of the American League for a Free Palestine, sent a protest to Lord Halifax, British Ambassador in Washington. "I should like to know why my friend Eri has been whisked off to a British concentration camp, to be held incommunicado on some malarial sandpile over which the flag of Britain flies," he said.)

### British Government Blamed

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NEW YORK—The charge that "diplomatic pressure by the British Government" was responsible for the deportation from Turkey of Eri Jabotinsky, son of the late world leader of the New Zionist Organization, was made in a telegram sent by the Zionist Revisionist Organization of America to the British Embassy in Washington.

The British Embassy was requested in the telegram to secure from its government detailed information "regarding the cause of the British intervention" with Turkey against Mr. Jabotinsky, as well as the place where Mr. Jabotinsky is now interned. The telegram pointed out that Mr. Jabotinsky was sent from Turkey "to some unknown British territory."



Back to civilian life. The wise veteran goes to the Red Cross! They know the answers there and are eager to help an ex-service man.